



TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE OFFICERS OF THE
TOWN OF NEEDHAM

MASSACHUSETTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

1935



TOWN HALL
Dedicated December 22, 1903

TOWN OF NEEDHAM
Incorporated 1711
Population: Census 1935, 11,828
Assessed Valuation \$22,677,250.
Tax Rate — 1935 — \$28.30



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TOWN OFFICERS, 1935-1936

Moderator

Samuel H. Wragg

Town Clerk

Clarence E. Foss

Selectmen

Carleton G. McIntosh, *Chairman*
William P. McEvoy, *Vice-chairman* Parkman D. Howe, *Secretary*

Assessors

Charles W. Woodbury, 1936, *Chairman*
Arthur H. Godfrey, 1937, *Clerk* Howard A. Flewelling, 1938

Department of Public Welfare

Evan C. Thorpe, 1936, *Chairman*
Charles H. Davis, 1937 Austin H. Keyes, 1936
Stewart B. Johnston, 1938 Catherine F. Tappan, 1937

Collector of Taxes

Henry Godfrey

Town Treasurer

Charles E. Stanwood

School Committee

Edward Seaver, 1936, *Chairman*
Maurice V. Brown, 1938 Roland C. March, 1937
Marion Gorse Hall, 1936 Gertrude W. Queen, 1938
Percy E. Wye, 1937

Trustees of Memorial Park

Thomas J. Crossman, 1936, *Chairman*
Leonard Dawson, 1938 Amos H. Shepherdson, 1937
P. Bernhardt Richwagen, 1938 James H. Whetton, 1937

Trustees of Public Library

George K. Clarke, 1938, *Chairman*
J. Merrill Boyd, 1937 Belle F. Gourd, 1936
Newton Black, 1938 Henry W. Jarvis, 1936
Marion L. Johnson, 1937

Board of Health

Leslie B. Cutler, 1936, *Chairman*
Robert N. McClellan, 1937 David E. Mann, 1938

Town Planning Board

George A. Young, 1936, *Chairman*
William Adams, 1938 Arthur G. Curren, 1937
Ernest B. Allen, 1940 Arthur W. Rohm, 1939, *Secretary*

Commissioners of Trust Funds

Preston Mitchell, 1938 Arnold Mackintosh, 1936
Amos H. Shepherdson, 1937

Constables

Edward A. Coppinger

Russell C. Williams

Town Agents

Parkman D. Howe

Carleton G. McIntosh

William P. McEvoy

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Henry K. Morse

James H. Whetton

Public Weighers

James H. Whetton

Elizabeth Ryan

Henry K. Morse

George B. Jones

Arthur H. Whetton*

Albert J. Ravinski

Nicholas A. O'Brien

Ernest W. Starratt, Jr.

Nellie Burkett

August Miller

Jacob Leader

Stephen C. Godfrey

APPOINTED**Finance Committee**George A. Lord, 1936, *Chairman*

Willard H. Brockway, 1938

Roger W. Nutt, 1938

Florance M. Crowley, 1936

Harry J. Robinson, 1936

Ralph H. Gray, 1937

Wendell E. Ryerson, 1938

Arthur S. Hubbard, 1937

**Edward G. Sayce, 1936

John F. Kenney, 1937

**George R. Wein, 1938

Harrison G. Whittredge, 1937

Town Accountant

Melville W. Grant

Trustees of Glover Memorial HospitalJames M. McCracken, 1936, *Chairman*

Margaret O. Chase, 1937

William Mitchell, 1938

David E. Mann, 1937

Frances E. Rowlands, 1938

Registrars of VotersCharles M. Donahue, 1936, *Chairman*

Armstrong Beattie, 1938

Mary E. Fitzgerald, 1937

Clarence E. Foss, *ex-officio***Town Counsel**

Gilbert W. Cox

Public Works DepartmentLester C. Hollis, *Superintendent***Division Assistants**

Frank L. Cheney, Engineering

Ernest E. Riley, Forestry

Howard A. Smith, Highway

Notman M. Winch, Sewer

Roger G. Oakman, Water

Superintendent of Schools

Harry A. Brown

*Deceased **Resigned

TOWN OFFICERS

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Agent for Department of Public Welfare

Frederick W. Blanchard

Health Officer and Inspector of Milk

G. Donald Buckner

Agents for State and Military Aid

Francis J. Stanwood

Agent for Care of Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves

Frederick S. Kingsbury

Burial Agent

John F. McDermott

Agent for Enforcement of Workmen's Compensation

Clarence E. Foss

Inspector of Buildings and Cesspools

H. Howard Upham

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering

Samuel O. Fowle, M. D. V.

Inspector of Wiring

Joseph Alexander

Inspectors of Plumbing

Llewellyn W. Stevens, 1937

Harold D. Toone, 1936

Superintendent of Fire Alarm

T. Robert Quinlan

Forest Warden

T. Robert Quinlan

Petroleum Inspector

T. Robert Quinlan

Deputy Forest Wardens

Charles G. Robinson
George Webster

William B. Colter
William S. Cassidy, Jr.

Constables

Samuel H. Wragg

Arthur P. Bliss

Superintendent of Public Buildings

George B. Jones

Sealer of Weights and Measures

William H. Stanton

Dog Officer

William W. Hewett

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

Local Game Warden

Frank R. Bridges

Board of Appeal

Willard E. Doane, 1936

Lemont D. Litchfield, 1938

Raymond J. Cook, 1937

Keeper of Lockup

Arthur P. Bliss

Police DepartmentArthur P. Bliss, *Chief*William H. Knowles, *Sergeant*

Charles G. Robinson

Thomas H. Welch

Joseph W. Hauptman

Thomas J. Rooney, Jr.

P. Bernhardt Richwagen

Clarence W. Garland

Howard Mills, *Sergeant*

Edward L. Wainwright

John E. Brearley

J. Albert Johnson

Emerson Lambert

Matthew Tocci

Frank E. Taylor

*William H. Dugan

*Daniel C. Henderson

Fire DepartmentT. Robert Quinlan, *Chief*George W. Holt, *Deputy Chief*Walter M. Mullen, *Captain*Richard M. Salamone, *Captain*John A. Keith, *Lieutenant*

William B. Colter

Samuel Smith

Sidney P. Brearley

George F. Coombs

Everett Brown

Carl R. Parker

John A. Rhynd

Richard T. Swift

Warren M. Parker

Timothy L. Coughlin

Harold T. Vincent

Leo C. Brady

Deputy Tax Collector

Edward A. Coppinger

Public LibraryBarbara Abbott, *Librarian***Glover Memorial Hospital**Bessie Jean Young, R.N., *Superintendent***Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 18, 1935,
Under Article 20, on Recreation**

Robert H. Burrage, 1936

Herbert L. Moore, 1937

Arthur H. Godfrey, 1938

Blanche Worth, *School Committee*Ernest B. Allen, *Planning Board***Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 18, 1935
Under Article 50, on Town Report**

Clarence E. Foss

Dana L. Southworth

James K. Sanborn

*Intermittent

**Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 18, 1935
Under Article 51, on Revaluation of Property**

Amos H. Shepherdson
†William W. Gallagher

David Murdoch
George W. Holt

†Karl W. Richards

**Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 18, 1935
Under Article 52, on Administrative Economies, etc.**

Samuel D. Low

Brad Stephens

Fred L. Donahue

†Resigned



TOWN OF NEEDHAM

Town Clerk's Record

OF THE

Annual Election of Town Officers

March 11, 1935

AND

Annual Town Meeting

March 18, 1935



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NEEDHAM TOWN RECORDS

FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1935

RECORD OF THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

March 11, 1935

Agreeably to a warrant signed by the Selectmen February 23, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs met in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, March 11, 1935, at forty-five minutes past six o'clock in the forenoon.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Samuel H. Wragg.

The ballot boxes were inspected and found to be empty with the registers set on 00000. The boxes were then locked and the keys delivered to Daniel C. Henderson the officer in attendance.

Cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted as required by Section 48, Chapter 54 of the General Laws.

The ballots prepared for use at this election by the Town Clerk were then delivered to the ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The polls were opened at forty-five minutes past six o'clock in the forenoon and were kept open until eight o'clock in the afternoon.

Pursuant to Chapter 54 Section 21, of the General Laws, the Selectmen having appointed:

Louise M. Ryan	Charles I. Ruggles
Grace M. Maloney	Mary A. Casey
Harold S. Loudon	Myra R. Kingsbury
Ruberta B. Farnham	Julia T. Mullan
William S. Whelan	Grace E. Morris
George F. LaChance	Annie M. Gilfoil
Mabel A. Nason	Florence M. Lyman
Wellington Howes, Jr.	Mary E. Fitzgerald
Charles M. Donahue	Armstrong Beattie

as ballot clerks, they were sworn to the faithful discharge of their duties by the Moderator.

Article 1. Under this article proceeded to vote for the following Town Officers: three Selectmen for one year; one Moderator for one year; one Town Clerk for one year; one Town Treasurer for one year; one Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; two members of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; one member of the Department of Public Welfare for three years; two Trustees of the Public Library for three years; two Trustees of Memorial Park for three years; one member of the Planning Board for five years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years;

two Constables for one year; one Town Meeting Member (to fill vacancy) for two years for District 2; two Town Meeting Members (to fill vacancies) for one year for District 4; one Town Meeting Member (to fill vacancy) for one year for District 5; sixteen Town Meeting Members for each district, namely, districts numbered one, two, three, four, and five, for three years.

Additional tellers were appointed as required by Chapter 54, Section 48 of the General Laws, as follows:

Frank P. Salamone	Mary Donati
Janet D. Davis	May L. McMath
Louis A. Langdale	Charles DeFazio
Elise A. Chandler	Mattie E. Webber
Della A. Beale	Mederic J. Lanctot
Vertene Welch	Karl Upham
William A. Simmons	Jean Cameron
Emma B. Eastman	George H. Ferran
Albert W. Eldridge	Nellie Sullivan
Willis Brownville	Helen T. Daley
George E. Irving	Jerry Bond, Jr.
Sally Pratt Ely	Helen M. Gilfoil
Laura J. Rodgers	Katherine M. Bryson
Florence P. Mann	Cyril O. Newcomb
Bertha Blaisdell	Charles P. Cobb
John F. McCarty	George H. Noyes
Charles R. Landers	James A. Fitzgerald
Frederick Alexander	Floyd G. Hatch
Catherine G. Crowley	Cora Maddocks
Richard Sharpe	Helen Carpenger
Ernest R. Keith	James Salamone
E. Bertha Behnke	Consuelo Schofield
Albion O. Wetherbee	George C. Rice
Muriel M. McCune	Dorothy Eldridge
Dominic Carchidi	Lemont D. Litchfield
Marguerite McClare	Clarence E. Parr
William W. Hewett	Angela Overton
Harry A. Haszard	Francis F. Craft
Josephine Bois	Fred F. Martin
Meddie J. Blais	

and they were severally sworn.

The ballots were audibly counted by the Moderator when taken from the box and at 11 o'clock six hundred (600) ballots were taken from the box; at 2 o'clock four hundred and forty-nine (449) ballots were taken from the box; at 4 o'clock five hundred (500) ballots were taken from the box; at 6.15 o'clock five hundred and fifty (550) ballots were taken from the box and at 8 o'clock when the polls were declared closed, ten hundred and ninety-two (1,092) ballots were taken from the box; making the total number of ballots cast three thousand one hundred and ninety-one (3,191).

The total number of ballots cast by men was seventeen hundred and seventy-seven (1,777), and by women fourteen hundred and fourteen (1,414).

The vote by districts was as follows:

District	Male	Female	Total
1	314	283	597
2	368	327	695
3	353	294	647
4	328	280	608
5	414	230	644
	<hr/> 1,777	<hr/> 1,414	<hr/> 3,191

A canvass of all votes given was made as required by law. Upon the completion of the canvass of all votes cast the result of the voting was declared by the Moderator to be as follows, *viz*:

For Selectmen

George H. Hassam	1,402
Parkman D. Howe	2,058
William P. McEvoy	2,022
Carleton G. McIntosh	2,167
Blanks	1,924
and Carleton G. McIntosh, Parkman D. Howe, and William P. McEvoy were declared elected Selectmen for one year.	

For Moderator

Samuel H. Wragg	2,379
Blanks	812
and Samuel H. Wragg was declared elected Moderator for one year.	

For Town Clerk

Clarence E. Foss	2,535
Blanks	656
and Clarence E. Foss was declared elected Town Clerk for one year.	

For Assessor (for three years)

George H. Carter	351
Howard A. Flewelling	1,421
Charles W. Harrison	141
Karl W. Richards	1,073
Blanks	205
and Howard A. Flewelling was declared elected Assessor for three years.	

For Town Treasurer

Charles E. Stanwood	2,574
Blanks	617
and Charles E. Stanwood was declared elected Town Treasurer for one year.	

For Collector of Taxes

Henry Godfrey	2,488
Blanks	703
and Henry Godfrey was declared elected Collector of Taxes for one year.	

For Department of Public Welfare (for three years)

Stewart B. Johnston	2,341
Blanks	850
and Stewart B. Johnston was declared elected a member of the Department of Public Welfare for three years.	

For School Committee (for three years)

Maurice V. Brown	1,776
Arthur S. Hamilton	1,712
Gertrude W. Queen	1,835
Blanks	1,059
and Gertrude W. Queen and Maurice V. Brown were declared elected members of the School Committee for three years.	

For Trustees of Public Library (for three years)

Newton Black	2,307
George K. Clarke	2,355
Blanks	1,720
and George K. Clarke and Newton Black were declared elected Trustees of the Public Library for three years.	

For Board of Health (for three years)

David E. Mann	2,514
Blanks	677
and David E. Mann was declared elected a member of the Board of Health for three years.	

For Town Planning Board (for five years)

Ernest B. Allen	2,305
Blanks	886
and Ernest B. Allen was declared elected a member of the Town Planning Board for five years.	

For Commissioner of Trust Funds (for three years)

Preston Mitchell	2,447
Blanks	744
and Preston Mitchell was declared elected Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years.	

For Trustees of Memorial Park (for three years)

Leonard Dawson	2,336
Paul B. Richwagen	2,477
Blanks	1,569
and Paul B. Richwagen and Leonard Dawson were declared elected Trustees of Memorial Park for three years.	

For Constables

Edward A. Coppinger	2,350
Marcel E. Johnson	704
Leo Simon	233
Russell C. Williams	2,178
Blanks	917
and Edward A. Coppinger and Russell C. Williams were declared elected Constables for one year.	

*The following were elected Town Meeting Members:**District Number 1. For three years*

Charles W. Woodbury	Laurence S. Caldwell
Thomas M. Stevenson, Jr.	Arthur G. Johnson
John N. Brion	Louis S. Bugbee
J. Walter Schirmer	Gertrude M. Eichler
Harold A. Smith	Nelson A. Talmadge
Winthrop M. Quinlan	Mary E. Trow
Paul H. Franz	Letty S. Proctor
James W. Macdonald	Winthrop M. Southworth

District Number 2. For two years

Robert N. King

For Three Years

Alan H. McIntosh
 Russell J. Rice
 Holley A. Wilkinson
 Lucy E. Bliss
 Donald K. Eaton
 Francis C. Hersey
 Helen B. Eastman
 Mary W. Crane

H. Harris Eaton
 Herbert J. Denner
 Jerry Bond
 John Stevens
 Weld A. Rollins
 John A. Salman
 George R. Wein
 Willard E. Doane

District Number 3. For three years

Stuart L. Blake
 Alfred T. Baker
 Fred L. Fanning
 Samuel F. Cohoon
 Henry W. Jarvis
 Charles W. Harrison
 Florence L. Bartlett
 Moses Williams, Jr.

Reta M. Blades
 Stephen W. Smith
 Eva H. Churchill
 Elizabeth G. Merrill
 Anne Williams
 Raymond J. Cook
 John A. O'Connor
 Frank S. Davis

District Number 4. For one year

Gordon W. Russell

Gilman Davis

For Three Years

Frank A. McIntosh
 Susie G. Whitney
 Paul M. Britt
 Frank V. Gordon
 Helen M. Stevens
 Harrison G. Whittredge
 Charles G. Robinson
 Clyde E. Cookson

Philip A. Merrill
 Thomas E. Norris
 Rolla E. Healey
 Francis W. Shaw
 J. Norman Gledhill
 Mattie E. Webber
 J. Charles Nute, Jr.
 Meyer J. Gordon

District Number 5. For one year

Timothy L. Coughlin

For Three Years

Arthur H. Godfrey
 Asa M. Small
 Joseph W. Hauptman
 Shirley H. Sparkes
 Francis A. Perry
 Timothy M. Henderson
 Charles E. Spicer
 John E. Buckley

Harold Warren
 Raymond Walton
 Arthur L. Parker
 Jean H. Whetton
 Leo R. Peare
 John F. Kenney
 Irving R. Wallis
 Harry Martin

After the results of the vote had been declared the Moderator was sworn by the Town Clerk, and the Town Clerk was sworn by the Moderator, to the faithful performance of their duties.

The ballots cast, the undistributed ballots and check lists were sealed up, endorsed by the election officers and placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

Adjourned at 1 o'clock A.M., Tuesday, March 12, 1935.

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
 Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING FOR THE TRANSACTION
OF BUSINESS

March 18, 1935

Pursuant to the warrant issued by the Selectmen February 23, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Needham, qualified to vote in Town affairs, met in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, March 18, 1935, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator, in the chair.

Julia T. Mullan, Florence L. Lyman, Frank P. Salamone, Fred F. Martin, Ethel M. Sparkes, Willis L. Brownville, Emma B. Eastman, and Charles M. Donahue, were appointed checkers by the Board of Selectmen and sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. Check lists were used and 114 women and 368 men were checked on the lists as being present, a total of 482 voters.

There were 221 Town Meeting members present.

The warrant and return of the officer who served the same were read.

Proceeded to take up the articles under the warrant.

Article 2. To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town may determine.

Under this article the following Town Officers were elected:

Town Agents: Parkman D. Howe, William P. McEvoy, and Carleton G. McIntosh.

Measurers of Wood and Bark: Henry K. Morse and James H. Whetton.

Public Weighers: James H. Whetton, Henry K. Morse, Arthur H. Whetton, Nicholas A. O'Brien, Nellie Burkett, Elizabeth Ryan, George B. Jones, Albert J. Ravinski, Ernest W. Starratt, Jr., August Miller, Stephen C. Godfrey, and Jacob Leader.

Article 3. To hear and act on the reports of Town Officers and Committees.

Voted, That the report of the Resolution Committee appointed under Article 47 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held March 26, 1934, be accepted.

Voted, That the report of the committee appointed under Article 39 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of March 19, 1934, to study needs of recreational activities in the Town of Needham be accepted.

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to unexpended balances and deficiencies of 1934.

Voted, That the sum of \$824.63 be appropriated to pay unpaid bills contracted in 1934 but not received by the Town

until after January 1, 1935, and to pay overdrafts and deficiencies of 1934, together with the balances of special appropriations for the construction of Otis, Powers, and Parkinson Streets amounting to \$652.50.

Voted, That all unexpended balances be returned to the Treasury, excepting the sum of \$1,000.00 appropriated for the rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Article 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money received from dog licenses.

Voted, That the money received from dog licenses, to wit, \$1,853.99 be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the salaries of its Town Officers.

Voted, That the salaries of Town Officers for the year 1935, be the same as voted in the Annual Budget for 1934.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of tools, equipment and materials necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on Public Works or other projects, for which the Federal Government may provide money for the labor necessary in connection therewith under the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program if and when extended including the following, and to determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relative thereto:

Public Works Department	\$25,600
School Department	3,075
ERA Administration	1,200
Library	125
Oak Street Brook and Culvert on Marked Tree Road (petitioned for)	600

Voted, That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated for the purchase of tools, equipment and materials necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on Public Works or other projects, for which the Federal Government may provide money for the labor necessary in connection therewith under the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program if and when extended, \$10,000.00 of which shall be for the installation of water mains to be refunded from water income, provided that if the Federal Government shall not provide or shall cease to provide money for such labor, then this appropriation or any balance thereof shall be transferred to the Reserve Fund except that the appropriation of the aforesaid \$10,000.00 or any balance thereof shall be transferred to Estimated Receipts.

Article 8. To see what sums of money the Town will appropriate for the necessary Town charges and expenses.

Under this article the following appropriations were made, each item being voted on separately, *viz*:

Voted, That the sum of \$2,684.00 be appropriated for the Accounting Department as follows:

Salaries.....	\$2,329 00
Expenses	355 00

Voted, That the sum of \$6,616.80 be appropriated for the Assessors Department as follows:

Salaries Permanent	\$4,256 80
Salaries Temporary	440 00
Expenses	1,425 00
New Fixtures	495 00

Voted, That the sum of \$750.00 be appropriated for the Finance Committee.

Salaries.....	\$300 00
Expenses	450 00

Voted, That the sum of \$37,795.00 be appropriated for the Fire Department

Salaries.....	\$32,325 00
Maintenance	3,870 00
Building Maintenance	1,600 00

Voted, That the sum of \$1,205.00 be appropriated for the Fire Alarm Department

Salaries.....	\$255 00
Expenses	950 00

Voted, That the sum of \$3,009.00 be appropriated for the Board of Health

Salaries.....	\$2,428 00
Expenses	581 00

Voted, That the sum of \$4,780.00 be appropriated for the Board of Health.

Hospitalization	\$4,000 00
Care of Dump.....	780 00

Voted, That the sum of \$18,509.03 be appropriated for the Glover Memorial Hospital.

Salaries.....	\$8,744 03
Maintenance	9,765 00

Voted, That the sum of \$160.00 be appropriated for the Forest Warden.

Salaries.....	\$85 00
Expenses	75 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,833.33 be appropriated for the Board of Health.

Removal of Garbage	\$2,833 33
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Voted, That the sum of \$4,300.50 be appropriated for the Inspection Department.

Salaries.....	\$4,095 00
Expenses	205 50

Voted, That the sum of \$85.00 be appropriated for Petroleum Inspection.

Voted, That the sum of \$85.00 be appropriated for the Game Warden.

Voted, That the sum of \$4,588.84 be appropriated for Insurance.

Fire Insurance	\$4,288 84
Town Hall Protection	300 00

Voted, That the sum of \$6,327.15 and the income from the Barr and Greenwood Funds be appropriated for Library Department.

Salaries.....	\$4,150 00
Expenses	2,177 15

Voted, That the sum of \$2,800.00 be appropriated for Memorial Park.

Expenses	\$1,500 00
Repairs and Painting.....	1,300 00

Voted, That the sum of \$125.00 be appropriated for the Planning Board.

Expenses	\$125 00
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Voted, That the sum of \$35,530.00 be appropriated for the Police Department.

Salaries.....	\$29,410 00
Telephone, Teletype, Radio	1,150 00
Equipment and Supplies	1,115 00
Automobile Maintenance	2,350 00
Building Maintenance	1,505 00

Voted, That the sum of \$4,615.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department.

Salaries.....	\$4,284 00
Expenses	331 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,785.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Engineering Division.

Salaries.....	\$2,500 00
Expenses	285 00

Voted, That the sum of \$3,617.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Forestry Division.

Salaries.....	\$3,152 00
Expenses	465 00

Voted, That the sum of \$11,508.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Equipment Division.

Expenses \$4,308.00 of which \$400.00 shall be for maintenance of the equipment of the Water Division to be refunded from water income.

Replacement of Equipment: \$7,200.00 of which \$1,000.00 shall be for the replacement of equipment of the Water Division, to be refunded from water income.

Voted, That the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Forestry Division.

Private Moth Extermination . . . \$1,000 00

Voted, That the sum of \$27,950.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Maintenance \$27,950 00

Voted, That the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Snow Removal.

Voted, That the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Sidewalks.

Voted, That the sum of \$22,000.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Street Lighting.

Voted, That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Park Division.

Voted, That the sum of \$3,250.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Sewer Division.

Salaries \$3,000 00

Expenses 250 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,000.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Any advances made by other departments to this salary to be reimbursed from this appropriation.

Voted, That the sum of \$50,600.00 be appropriated for the Public Works Department, Water Division.

Bonds and Interest \$8,120 00

Maintenance 42,480 00

Voted, That the sum of \$1,495.00 be appropriated for the Board of Registrars.

Voted, That the sum of \$212,330.80 be appropriated for the School Department.

All Salaries \$172,205 80

Expenses 18,950 00

Building Repairs 6,300 00

Building Maintenance 14,875 00

Voted, That the sum of \$1,500.00 be appropriated for Vocational Tuition.

Voted, That the sum of \$5,352.00 be appropriated for the Tax Collector's Department.

Salaries.....	\$3,315 00
Expenses	563 00
Bond.....	474 00
Tax Title Expenses	1,000 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,273.90 be appropriated for the Town Clerk's Department.

Salaries.....	\$1,660 90
Expenses	238 00
Fees	375 00

Voted, That the sum of \$1,980.00 be appropriated for the Selectmen's Department.

Salaries.....	\$1,555 00
Expenses	250 00
Town Meeting	175 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,653.00 be appropriated for the Town Hall and Grounds.

Salaries.....	\$1,144 00
Expenses	1,509 00

Voted, That the sum of \$5,369.00 be appropriated for the Treasurer's Department.

Salaries.....	\$4,212 00
Expenses	907 00
Bond.....	250 00

Voted, That the sum of \$64,635.00 be appropriated for the Public Welfare Department.

Salaries.....	\$3,400 00
Expenses	535 00
ERA Investigations	700 00
Maintenance	60,000 00

Voted, That the sum of \$15,000.00 be appropriated for Soldiers' Relief.

Voted, That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for Military Aid.

Voted, That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for State Aid.

Voted, That the sum of \$2,275.00 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department, for Legal Expenses.

Salaries.....	\$1,275 00
Expenses	1,000 00

Voted, That the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department, for Damages.

Voted, That the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department for Town Reports.

Voted, That the sum of \$210.00 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department, for Dog Officer.

Voted, That the sum of \$325.00 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department.

Expenses \$325 00

Voted, That the sum of \$2,800.00 be appropriated for the annuities to the widows of Forbes McLeod and Frank Haddock.

Voted, That the sum of \$300.00 be appropriated for Memorial Day.

Voted, That the sum of \$400.00 be appropriated for Soldiers' Graves.

Voted, That the sum of \$50.00 be appropriated for the Board of Survey.

Voted, That the sum of \$5,746.09 be appropriated for the Norfolk County Hospital.

Voted, That the sum of \$76,000.00 be appropriated for Bonds due in 1935.

Voted, That the sum of \$34,035.00 be appropriated for Interest on Funded Loans.

Voted, That the sum of \$7,000.00 be appropriated for Interest on Temporary Loans.

Voted, That the sum of \$18,000.00 be transferred to the Reserve Fund from the Overlay Account.

Article 9. To see in what manner the Town will have its taxes collected for the current year.

Voted, That the taxes for the current year be collected in the same manner as in the year 1934 and that the compensation therefor be the same as voted in the Budget.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of

the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Vote declared unanimous.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936.

Vote declared unanimous.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the construction of particular sewers or house connections, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the sum of \$5,000.00 be appropriated for the construction of particular sewers or house connections.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$13,097.62 from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, \$8,782.50 of which shall be for payment of notes and interest due on construction bonds.

Voted, That the sum of \$13,097.62 be transferred from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, of which \$8,782.50 shall be to pay notes and interest due on construction notes.

Article 14. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by striking out Section 13 under Article 4 and inserting in place thereof the following: "Section 13. Whoever, being the owner, tenant, occupant, or agent in charge of an estate used wholly or in part for stores, offices, places of public resort, or residences, shall place any snow or ice on a sidewalk on which such store, office, place of public resort, or residence abuts, and suffers it to remain thereon for more than five hours between sunrise and sunset shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten dollars for each offense. If snow or ice, through weather conditions, is evenly spread over a sidewalk and frozen thereon so as to be difficult of removal, it may remain until it shall be more easily removed if the sidewalk be kept in safe condition by sand or otherwise."

Voted, That this motion be dismissed.

Article 15. To see if the Town will authorize the demolition of the Old Harris School and the Old Parker School, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Selectmen be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell the Old Harris School and the Old Parker School buildings or to demolish the same and to make available the materials salvaged therefrom so far as practicable for the reconstruction, alteration or repair of the Riverside School or dispose thereof by sale or otherwise.

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take relative to the sale of land of the Town on which the Old Harris School is at present situated.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by adding thereto under Article 11 the following: — Section 8. All buildings on or near the line of public or private ways shall be assigned a number or numbers by the Board of Selectmen who shall assign odd numbers, for one side of a way and even numbers for the opposite side thereof. Said assigned numbers which shall not be less than $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches high with $\frac{1}{2}$ inch stroke, shall be placed in a conspicuous place on said building or buildings by the owner or occupant thereof within thirty days from the time when notice is given by said Board to the owner or occupant of the number or numbers assigned to said building or buildings.

Voted, That the Town By-Laws be amended by striking out Section 10 under Article 11 and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 10. All buildings on or near the line of public or private ways shall be assigned a number or numbers by the Board of Selectmen who shall assign odd numbers for one side of a way and even numbers for the opposite side thereof. Said assigned numbers which shall not be less than $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches high with $\frac{1}{2}$ inch stroke, shall be placed in a conspicuous place on said building or buildings by the owner or occupant thereof within thirty days from the time when notice is given by said Board to the owner or occupant of the number or numbers assigned to said building or buildings.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning Map by changing from a business district to a general residence district the land at the southwesterly corner of Maple Street and Great Plain Avenue bounded northerly by Great Plain Avenue; easterly by Maple Street; southerly by other land now or formerly of Carter; westerly by land of Allston R. Bowers, or however otherwise said land may be bounded and described, on petition of Allston R. Bowers and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning Map by changing from a single residence district to a business district the area on Greendale Avenue starting at a point approximately 300 feet from the right of way of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad on the northerly side of the said right of way and easterly of Greendale Avenue on Land of Laura I. Cassidy, and running northerly to and including the

land of Augustus Hauck, Jr., about 2,500 feet or such part thereof as may be determined, on petition of Laura I. Cassidy and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed. Yes 90. No 99.

Article 20. To see if the Town will authorize the appointment of a Committee to direct the recreational activities within the Town and to determine the manner in which such Committee shall be appointed, on petition of Committee appointed under Article 39 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of March 19, 1934.

Voted, That a Standing Committee be appointed in the manner following to serve under the direction of the Selectmen to direct and conduct such recreational activities as the Town may authorize from time to time, such Committee to consist of five members, three members to be appointed by the Moderator, one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years and following each annual meeting hereafter one member for three years: one member to be appointed annually by the School Committee and one member to be appointed annually by the Planning Board.

Article 21. To see what sum the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing recreational facilities.

Voted, That the sum of \$900.00 be appropriated for equipping and operating playgrounds at Green's Field, so called, and at the William Carter School.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take relative to the time of holding the Annual Meeting, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the substance of this Article be referred to the Committee appointed under Article 52.

Article 23. To see what action the Town will take relative to the appointment of a Superintendent of Public Buildings, and establish his powers and duties, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Selectmen be authorized to annually appoint a Superintendent of Public Buildings, who shall receive such salary as shall be annually appropriated therefor. The Selectmen may for cause remove such Superintendent.

No such appointment nor removal shall take effect unless and until approved by the School Committee.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings shall have general charge of the care and operation of all Town buildings and he shall direct the making of all repairs and improvements in the same. All Executive and Administrative Departments, Boards and Officers of the Town shall make requisition upon him for any repairs or improvements necessary in all buildings, owned, leased or occupied by any department, board or officer of the Town. The cost for such repairs or improvements, when approved, shall be paid for out of the amounts appropriated therefor to the several departments, boards or officers of the Town.

Article 24. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) for the construction of a new Riverside School, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 26. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand, three hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$2,365.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand, three hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$2,365.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 27. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive, southerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 400 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Laurel Drive, southerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 400 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 28. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand and thirty-five dollars (\$1,035.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, southerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand and thirty-five dollars (\$1,035.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, southerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 29. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive, northerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Laurel Drive, northerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand, three hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$1,335.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, northerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand, three hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$1,335.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, northerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 31. To see if the Town will accept Oakhurst Circle from Warren Street westerly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Oakhurst Circle from Warren Street westerly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand, four hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$1,458.00) for the construction of Oakhurst Circle under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand, four hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$1,458.00) for the construction of Oakhurst Circle under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 33. To see if the Town will accept Nichols Road from Washington Avenue to Wyoming Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Nichols Road from Washington Avenue to Wyoming Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand, one hundred and fifty (\$2,150.00) for the construction of Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,150.00) for the construction of Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 35. To see if the Town will accept Beaufort Avenue from Great Plain Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Beaufort Avenue from Great Plain Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 36. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand, three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$3,325.00) for the construction of Beaufort Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand, three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$3,325.00) for the construction of Beaufort Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 37. To see if the Town will accept Hawthorn Avenue from Beaufort Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Hawthorn Avenue from Beaufort Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 38. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand, one hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$2,135.00) for the construction of Hawthorn Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand, one hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$2,135.00) for the construction of Hawthorn Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 39. To see if the Town will accept Manning Street from Brookline Street 245 feet northerly, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That the Town accept Manning Street from Brookline Street 245 feet northerly, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 40. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540.00) for the construction of Manning Street under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540.00) for the construction of Manning

Street under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 41. To see if the Town will accept Lindbergh Avenue from Webster Street to Manning Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk, on petition of Warren H. Ellis and others.

Voted, That the Town accept as a Town Way, Lindbergh Avenue from Webster Street to Manning Street Extension in accordance with plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 42. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for the construction of Lindbergh Avenue from Webster Street to Manning Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto, on petition of Warren H. Ellis and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 43. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) for the installation of drain pipe in Birds Hill Brook from Sargent Street to Lawrence Road, on petition of Chester B. Underhill and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 44. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on St. Mary's Street, on petition of Edward A. Daley, Jr., and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 45. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on Melrose Avenue, on petition of Raymond L. Bond and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 46. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on pole No. J-O 152-1 at the junction of Hampton Avenue and Crawford Street, on petition of Matthew Tocci and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on pole No. J-O 152-4 at the junction of Route 128 and Crawford Street, on petition of Matthew Tocci and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 48. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate to be added to the Street Lighting Appropriation for the installation and maintenance of street lights.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 49. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of three to advise with the several Town departments, and subject to the

approval of the Board of Selectmen, to determine the general form and content of the next annual Town report; such committee to be appointed one by the Board of Selectmen, from among their own number or otherwise, one by the Finance Committee, from among their own number or otherwise, and one by the two so chosen, on petition of Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Voted, That the Moderator appoint a Committee of three to advise with the several town departments, and subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to determine the general form and content of the next annual Town report.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of three to determine and report upon the advisability, method and cost of a general re-valuation of all property in the Town, such report to be rendered not later than to the next annual Town meeting, such committee to be appointed one by the Board of Selectmen, one by the Finance Committee, and one by the Planning Board, in each case from among their own number or otherwise as they may determine, on petition of Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Voted, That a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to determine and report upon the advisability, method and cost of a general re-valuation of all property in the Town, such report to be rendered not later than to the next annual Town meeting.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of three, one by the Board of Selectmen, one by the Finance Committee, and one by Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc., in each case from among their own numbers or otherwise, to study, report, and recommend possible economies, consolidations and improvements in the administrative or other departments of the Town; to report not later than to the next annual town meeting, upon petition of the Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Voted, That a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to study, report, and recommend possible economies, consolidations and improvements in the administrative or other departments of the Town; to report not later than to the next annual Town meeting, the report to be published in the local papers not later than February 1, 1936.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to purchase the land formerly owned by the Union Ice Company, Inc., located on Rosemary Street, Needham Heights, together with such rights to Rosemary Lake as said Company owns, said land being bounded by Rosemary Street, Rosemary Lake, and land owned by McLare, and appropriate money therefor, on petition of James A. Fitzgerald and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 54. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by adding as Article VI under the caption "Billboards & Advertising Devices," the following, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto:

'No persons, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display, or maintain a billboard, sign, or other outdoor advertising device in the Town of Needham, except those exempted by sub-section (h) and sub-section (i) of this By-Law:

(a) Within fifty (50) feet of any public way.

(b) Within three hundred (300) feet of any public park, playground or other public grounds, if within view of any portion of the same.

(c) Nearer than fifty (50) feet to any other such billboard, sign, or other advertising device, unless such billboard, signs, or other advertising devices are placed back to back.

(d) On any location at the corner of any public ways and within a radius of one hundred and fifty (150) feet from the point where the center lines of such ways intersect.

(e) Nearer than one hundred (100) feet to any public way, if within view of any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of eight (8) feet or a height of four (4) feet.

(f) Nearer than three hundred (300) feet to any public way, if within view of any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of twenty-five (25) feet or a height of twelve (12) feet.

(g) In any event, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of fifty (50) feet or a height of twelve (12) feet; except that the Board of Selectmen may permit the erection of billboards, signs, or other advertising devices which do not exceed forty (40) feet in length and fifteen (15) feet in height if not nearer than three hundred (300) feet to the boundary line of any public way.

(h) No billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained in any block in which one-half of the buildings on both sides of the street are used exclusively for residential purposes; except that this provision shall not apply if written consent of the owners of a majority of the residential and vacant frontage on both sides of the street in such block is first obtained and is filed with the Board of Selectmen, together with the application for a permit for such billboard, sign, or other advertising device.

Provided, however, that the foregoing provisions in sub-sections (a) to (h) both inclusive, shall not apply to districts which the Board of Selectmen may determine are of a business character.

(i) No billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained until a permit therefor has been issued by the Board of Selectmen, pursuant to the following provisions.

An applicant for a permit to erect a billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall file with the Board of Selectmen a written application therefor, together with a sketch showing the exact location and the written consent of the owner of the property upon which such billboard, sign, or other advertising device is proposed to be erected, displayed, or maintained, accompanied by an examination fee of \$2.00. Upon receipt of the foregoing, the Board of Selectmen shall hold a public hearing on said application, notice of which shall be given by posting the same in three or more public places in said Town at least one week before the date of such hearing, and upon the holding of such hearing, the Board of Selectmen shall within ten days thereafter grant or refuse such permit.

All permits granted under this Section shall expire June 30 of the calendar year following the date of the application. Application for the renewal of the permit granted under this Section shall be made not later than thirty days prior to the expiration of such permit and shall be accompanied by a fee of \$2.00 to be known as the renewal fee, and within two weeks of the date of the filing of such renewal application, the Board of Selectmen shall post notice of such application in three or more public places in said Town. Every permit granted under this Section for the erection or maintenance of an advertising device shall be conditioned by its terms upon the compliance by the permittee with all requirements of state and municipal regulations applying thereto.

This By-Law does not apply to signs or other devices on or in the rolling stock, stations, subways, or structures of or used by common carriers except on bridges or viaducts or abutments thereof, or to devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property

itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let and which contain no other advertising matter; and provided further that this By-Law shall not apply to billboards, signs, or other advertising devices legally maintained at the time of its approval by the Attorney-General, until one year from the first day of July following such approval.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this By-Law shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100), and whoever after conviction for such violation unlawfully maintains such billboard, sign, or other advertising device for twenty days thereafter shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500).

If any provision of this By-Law is declared unconstitutional or illegal by final judgment, order or decree of the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth, the validity of the remaining provisions of this By-Law shall not be affected thereby.

Voted, That the Town By-Laws be amended by adding as Article VI under the caption "Billboards, Signs, and Advertising Devices," the following:

No persons, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display, or maintain a billboard, sign, or other outdoor advertising device in the Town of Needham, except those exempted by sub-section (h) and sub-section (i) of this By-Law:

(a) Within fifty (50) feet of any public way.

(b) Within three hundred (300) feet of any public park, playground or other public grounds, if within view of any portion of the same.

(c) Nearer than fifty (50) feet to any other such billboard, sign, or other advertising device, unless such billboard, signs, or other advertising devices are placed back to back.

(d) On any location at the corner of any public ways and within a radius of one hundred and fifty (150) feet from the point where the center lines of such ways intersect.

(e) Nearer than one hundred (100) feet to any public way, if within view of any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of eight (8) feet or a height of four (4) feet.

(f) Nearer than three hundred (300) feet to any public way, if within view of any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of twenty-five (25) feet or a height of twelve (12) feet.

(g) In any event, if such billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall exceed a length of fifty (50) feet or a height of twelve (12) feet; except that the Planning Board may permit the erection of billboards, signs, or other advertising devices which do not exceed forty (40) feet in length and fifteen (15) feet in height if not nearer than three hundred (300) feet to the boundary line of any public way.

(h) No billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained in any block in which one-half of the buildings on both sides of the street are used exclusively for residential purposes; except that this provision shall not apply if written consent of the owners of a majority of the residential and vacant frontage on both sides of the street in such block is first obtained and is filed with the Planning Board, together with the application for a permit for such billboard, sign, or other advertising device.

Provided, however, that the foregoing provisions in sub-sections (a) to (h) both inclusive, shall not apply to districts which the Planning Board may determine are of a business character.

(i) No billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained until a permit therefor has been issued by the Planning Board, pursuant to the following provisions.

An applicant for a permit to erect a billboard, sign, or other advertising device shall file with the Planning Board a written application therefor, together with a sketch showing the exact location and the written consent of the owner of the property upon which such billboard, sign, or other advertising device is proposed to be erected, displayed, or maintained, accompanied by an examination fee of \$2.00. Upon receipt of the foregoing, the Planning Board shall hold a public hearing on said application, notice of which shall be given by posting the same in three or more public places in said Town at least one week before the date of such hearing, and upon the holding of such hearing, the Planning Board shall within ten days thereafter grant or refuse such permit.

All permits granted under this Section shall expire June 30 of the calendar year following the date of the application. Application for the renewal of the permit granted under this Section shall be made not later than thirty days prior to the expiration of such permit and shall be accompanied by a fee of \$2.00 to be known as the renewal fee, and within two weeks of the date of the filing of such renewal application, the Planning Board shall post notice of such application in three or more public places in said Town. Every permit granted under this Section for the erection or maintenance of an advertising device shall be conditioned by its terms upon the compliance by the permittee with all requirements of state and municipal regulations applying thereto.

This By-Law does not apply to signs or other devices on or in the rolling stock, stations, subways, or structures of or used by common carriers except on bridges or viaducts or abutments thereof, or to devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let and which contain no other advertising matter; and provided further that this By-Law shall not apply to billboards, signs, or other advertising devices legally maintained at the time of its approval by the Attorney-General, until one year from the first day of July following such approval.

Any person aggrieved by the granting or refusal of a permit under this By-Law shall have a right of appeal to the Board of Selectmen within ten days from the date of said granting or refusal. The Board of Selectmen shall grant a hearing on each appeal of which such notice shall be given as may be ordered by the Board of Selectmen.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this By-Law shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100), and whoever after conviction for such violation unlawfully maintains such billboard, sign, or other advertising device for twenty days thereafter shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500).

If any provision of this By-Law is declared unconstitutional or illegal by final judgment, order or decree of the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth, the validity of the remaining provisions of this by-law shall not be affected thereby.

Article 55. To appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise such sums of money as may be necessary for all or any other purpose mentioned in the foregoing articles and especially to act upon all appropriations asked for or proposed by the Selectmen or any Town Officer or Committee.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to have the reports of its officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings printed, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That 1,000 copies of the report of Town officers and proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings, but not including the valuation list, be printed before the next Annual Town Meeting.

All articles in the warrant having been completed at 11 o'clock it was

Voted, That this meeting be now dissolved.

CLARENCE E. FOSS.

Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

October 28, 1935

Pursuant to the warrant issued by the Selectmen, October 14, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in Town affairs, met in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, October 28, 1935, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator, in the chair. The checkers appointed by the Selectmen were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

Check lists were used and 94 women and 311 men were checked on the lists as being present.

There were 207 Town Meeting members present.

At Large	11
District 1 —	37
District 2 —	44
District 3 —	38
District 4 —	40
District 5 —	37
Total	207

The warrant and return of the officer who served the same were read.

Proceeded to take up the articles under the warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to exercise for and on behalf of the Town an option dated the 30th day of September, 1935, granted to the Town by Walter Hunnewell and Nelson S. Bartlett, for themselves and Co-trustees under the will of Henry S. Hunnewell, to purchase for the sum of \$12,500 before November 1, 1935, a parcel of land, containing about sixty-seven (67) acres more or less bounded according to said option substantially as follows:

NORTHERLY	by Charles River Street;
EASTERLY	by land now or late of Forbes;
SOUTHEASTERLY	in part by land now or late of Scott, and in part by a brook;
SOUTHERLY and WESTERLY	by Charles River;

said land to be purchased for water supply purposes and subject to the easements, restrictions and reservations contained in said option which is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and appropriate for said purchase the sum of \$12,500, or pass any vote or votes relative to the acquisition of said land by purchase.

Voted, That the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized, directed and empowered to exercise for and on behalf of the Town the option dated September 30, 1935, granted to the Town by the Trustees, under the will of Henry S. Hunnewell and to purchase the land therein described, containing about sixty-seven acres, more or less, bounded, according to said option substantially as follows:

NORTHERLY	by Charles River Street;
EASTERLY	by land now or late of Forbes;
SOUTHEASTERLY	in part by land now or late of Scott, and in part by a brook;
SOUTHERLY and WESTERLY	by Charles River;

or however otherwise said land may be measured, bounded or described; said land to be purchased for water supply purposes and subject to the easements, restrictions and reservations contained in said option, and to pay therefor the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) is appropriated to be included in the tax levy for the year 1936; and the

Selectmen are further authorized, directed and empowered to do all acts and things necessary to complete said purchase substantially in accordance with the terms of said option.

Vote declared unanimous.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of financing the construction of wells, pumping station, mains and other equipment to provide for an additional water supply and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the Town, and use, in carrying out such project, a grant of money from the Federal Government pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation of 1935; and authorize the Selectmen to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made or take any action relative thereto.

Voted, That for the purpose of constructing wells, pumping station, mains and other equipment to provide for an additional water supply the sum of \$40,000 be appropriated and to meet said appropriation \$40,000 be transferred from unappropriated surplus funds of the Town.

Vote declared unanimous.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of financing the construction of a Hospital Building and authorize and direct the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital to accept on behalf of the Town, and use, in carrying out such project, a grant of money from the Federal Government pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation of 1935; and authorize the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made or take any action relative thereto, on petition of the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital.

After lengthy discussion, a motion by Fred L. Fanning to postpone action until the next annual election, was declared "not carried."

On the original motion, "That, for the purpose of financing the construction of a hospital building and to enable the Town to secure the benefits of the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$81,000 and to meet in part said appropriation the sum of \$27,250 be appropriated to be included in the tax levy for the year 1936 and that the sum of \$19,744.88 be transferred from the Building Fund of the Glover Memorial Hospital together with interest accrued thereon up to the date of said transfer. All monies received by way of grant from the Federal Government on account of this project shall be applied to meet the cost of construction thereof, including preliminary expenses. The Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital are hereby authorized, directed and empowered to accept on behalf of the Town, for use in carrying out such project, a Federal grant of money pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, and the said Trustees are authorized to proceed with the construction of said project and enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, all subject to applicable federal regulations; and the Trustees are authorized to do all other acts and things necessary or convenient for obtaining said grant and for constructing said project." The vote was 58 Ayes and 134 Nays and the motion was declared "not carried."

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of financing the construction of sewerage pumping station and improved fire alarm system and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the Town, and use, in carrying out such project, a grant of money from the Federal Government pursuant to

the Emergency Relief Appropriation of 1935; and authorize the Selectmen to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made or take any action relative thereto.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 5. To see if the Town will purchase 5,392 sq. ft. of land from Nellie A. Richwagen for the purpose of a town way, said parcel being bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by Webster Street; on the south by other land of Nellie A. Richwagen; on the west by land of Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie, and appropriate for said purchase the sum of \$347.33.

Voted, That the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized, directed and empowered to purchase for the purpose of a town way, 5,392 square feet of land now or formerly owned by Nellie A. Richwagen bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by Webster Street; on the south by other land of Nellie A. Richwagen; on the west by land of Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie, or however otherwise said parcel may be bounded or described; and to pay therefor, the sum of \$347.33 is appropriated to be included in the tax levy for the year 1936, provided that the Town shall be under no obligation to commence the construction of a town way over said land until such construction shall have been authorized under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, and an appropriation therefore shall have been made.

Article 6. To see if the Town will purchase 3,118 sq. ft. of land from Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie for the purpose of a town way, said parcel being bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by land of Nellie A. Richwagen; on the south and west by other lands of Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie, and appropriate for said purchase the sum of one dollar.

Voted, That the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized, directed and empowered to purchase for the purpose of a town way, 3,118 square feet of land now or formerly owned by Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie, bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by land of Nellie A. Richwagen; on the south and west by other lands of Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie, or however otherwise said parcel may be bounded or described; and to pay therefor the sum of one dollar is appropriated, provided that the Town shall be under no obligation to commence the construction of a town way over said land until such construction shall have been authorized under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments and an appropriation therefor shall have been made.

Article 7. To see if the Town will purchase 19,700 sq. ft. of land from Webster Street Realty Trust for the purpose of a town way, said parcel being bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by Webster Street; on the south by land of Nellie A. Richwagen, Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie and other land of Webster Street Realty Trust, and on the west by a way known as Carey Place, and appropriate for said purchase the sum of one dollar.

Voted, That the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized, directed and empowered to purchase for the purpose of a town way, 19,700 square feet of land now or formerly owned by Webster Street Realty Trust bounded generally as follows: on the north by land of Webster Street Realty Trust; on the east by Webster Street; on the south by land of Nellie A. Richwagen, Matthew B. and Emma L. Dallachie and other land of Webster Street Realty Trust, and on the west by a way known as Carey place, or however otherwise said parcel may be bounded or described; and to pay therefor

the sum of one dollar is appropriated, provided that the Town shall be under no obligation to commence the construction of a town way over said land until such construction shall have been authorized under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments and an appropriation therefor shall have been made.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of materials and equipment necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on a comprehensive survey to provide in proper form all basic data for present and future planning including density maps, past and future growth maps, development of traffic arteries, playgrounds, parkways, school growth, public buildings, income sources and expenditures, valuations and housing survey, future growth and development maps for residential and commercial districts, for which the Federal Government may provide money for the labor necessary in connection therewith under the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program if and when extended and to determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relative thereto, on petition of the Planning Board.

A motion to dismiss by Alice M. Mackintosh was declared lost. 76 Ayes. 88 Nays.

On the original motion it was

Voted, That for the purpose of purchasing materials, supervision and equipment necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on a comprehensive survey to provide in proper form all basic data for present and future planning, including density maps, past and future growth maps, development of traffic arteries, playgrounds, parkways, school growth, public buildings, income sources and expenditures, valuations and housing survey, future growth and development maps for residential and commercial districts, the sum of \$1,500. be appropriated, and to meet said appropriation \$1,500. be transferred from the ERA appropriation made under Article 7 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held on March 18, 1935.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$1,200 for school maintenance, on petition of the School Committee.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

At 10.40 P.M. it was

Voted, That this meeting be now dissolved.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

November 13, 1935

Pursuant to the warrant issued by the Selectmen November 5, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in Town affairs met in the Town Hall in said Town on Wednesday, November 13, 1935, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator, in the chair.

The checkers appointed by the Selectmen were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

Check lists were used and 54 women and 220 men were checked on the lists as being present.

There were 190 Town Meeting Members present

At Large	10
District 1 —	39
District 2 —	35
District 3 —	33
District 4 —	38
District 5 —	35

Total	190
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The warrant and return of the officer who served the same were read.

Proceeded to take up the articles under the warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, by transfer or otherwise, a sum of money for the purpose of financing the construction of a Hospital Building and authorize and direct the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital to accept on behalf of the Town, and use, in carrying out such project, a grant of money from the Federal Government pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation of 1935; and authorize the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; or take any action relative thereto, on petition of the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital.

Voted, That for the purpose of financing the construction of a hospital building and to enable the Town to secure the benefits of the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$45,000., and to meet in part said appropriation the sum of \$25,875. be transferred from available hospital funds. All monies received by way of grant from the Federal Government on account of this project shall be applied to meet the cost of construction thereof, including preliminary expenses. The Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital are hereby authorized, directed and empowered to accept on behalf of the Town, for use in carrying out such project, a federal grant of money pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, and the Trustees are authorized to proceed with the construction of said project and enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, all subject to applicable Federal regulations; and the Trustees are authorized to do all other acts and things necessary or convenient for obtaining said grant and for constructing said project, provided that construction of said project shall not be commenced until a Federal grant of not less than \$19,125. shall have been made, nor shall construction be continued if said grant shall be suspended, revoked or decreased, until further action by the Town.

Yes, 166.

No, 8.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to sell the nurses' home, so-called, and the land

on which the same is situated, on the westerly side of Chestnut Street; or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered, with the approval of the Selectmen, to sell at private sale the land on the westerly side of Chestnut Street with the buildings thereon, known as the Nurses' Home, for such price as to them shall seem proper and to execute on behalf of the Town a deed or deeds conveying the same, and to do all other acts and things necessary to consummate the sale of said property. The proceeds of said sale shall be held in trust for the benefit of the Glover Memorial Hospital.

Vote declared unanimous.

At 8.10 P.M. it was

Voted, That this meeting be now dissolved.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

OFFICERS QUALIFIED

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk ss.

Personally appeared before me on the dates set against their several names the following persons who were elected March 11 and 18, 1935, and made oath that they would faithfully perform the duties of the office to which they were respectively elected:

1935

Mar.

- 11 Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator
- 11 Clarence E. Foss, Town Clerk
- 12 Charles E. Stanwood, Town Treasurer
- 12 Parkman D. Howe, Selectman
- 12 William P. McEvoy, Selectman
- 12 Carleton G. McIntosh, Selectman
- 12 Edward A. Coppinger, Constable
- 12 Henry Godfrey, Tax Collector
- 12 Maurice V. Brown, School Committee
- 12 Howard A. Flewelling, Assessor
- 13 Stewart B. Johnston, Public Welfare
- 13 Gertrude W. Queen, School Committee
- 14 Newton Black, Trustee of Public Library
- 16 David E. Mann, Board of Health
- 16 Preston Mitchell, Commissioner of Trust Funds
- 18 Leonard Dawson, Trustee of Memorial Park
- 26 Ernest B. Allen, Town Planning Board
- 26 Parkman D. Howe, Town Agent
- 26 William P. McEvoy, Town Agent

Apr.

- 1 James H. Whetton, Public Weigher
- 6 Frederick Whetton, Public Weigher
- 19 P. Bernhardt Richwagen, Trustee of Memorial Park
- 20 Carleton G. McIntosh, Town Agent
- *21 Arthur H. Whetton, Public Weigher
- 21 George K. Clarke, Trustee of Public Library
- 22 Henry K. Morse, Measurer of Wood & Bark and Public Weigher
- 22 August Miller, Public Weigher
- 22 Elizabeth Ryan, Public Weigher
- 22 Nicholas A. O'Brien, Public Weigher

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

*Deceased.

DOG LICENSES

Town Clerk's Report of Money Received

664	Male dogs at \$2.00	\$1,328 00
158	Female dogs at \$5.00	790 00
224	Female spayed dogs at \$2.00	448 00
2	Breeder's Licenses at \$25.00	50 00
1	Breeder's License at \$50.00	50 00
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		\$2,666 00
1049	Licenses at 20c.	209 80
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Amount paid Town Treasurer		\$2,456 20

HUNTING, FISHING AND TRAPPING LICENSES

135	Citizens' Fishing Licenses at \$2.00	\$270 00
114	Citizens' Hunting Licenses at \$2.00	228 00
65	Citizens' Sporting Licenses at \$3.25	211 25
31	Women's and Minors' Fishing Licenses at \$1.25	38 75
6	Citizens' Trapping Licenses at \$5.25	31 50
4	Minor Trapping Licenses at \$2.25	9 00
1	Non-Resident Fishing License at \$1.50	1 50
3	Duplicate Licenses at \$.50	1 50
16	Citizens' Sporting Licenses Free
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		\$791 50
356	Licenses at \$.25	89 00
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Paid Division of Fisheries and Game		\$702 50

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1935

Births

1935

January	10	Karolin Dorothy Goddard; Kenneth G. and Ethel.
	11	Stillborn.
	12	Robert Milton Coon; Gerald and Edna.
	14	Deborah Ann Norris; Thomas E. and Elizabeth A.
	16	Nancy Dianne Lambert; Emerson and Beatrice I.
	16	Ralph Guy Richwagen; Earl W. and Mildred
	17	Rosalie Glorioso; Anthony and Martha
	23	Shirley Elaine Norton; Ralph J. and Marion P.
	24	Phyllis Buckner; G. Donald and Frances R.
	25	Alice Elizabeth Kalinowski; Joseph F. and Mary R.
	27	Ronald Herbert Murray; Herbert A. and Frances J.
	28	Edward Ralph Clancy; Humphrey W. and Julia
	29	Eleanor Pauline Ferrara; Dominick and Julia
		Dorothy Carol Sims; Walter G. and Mildred G.
February	1	Sheila Joan Stanley; Edward and Signe
	3	John Buckingham Leslie; Welby P. and Barbara
	6	Barbara Elsa Halunen; Arlie J. and Loretta
	7	Phyllis Jane Bowden; Keith D. and Elizabeth A.
	7	Alice Ann Mahoney; Charles S. and Ellen E.
	8	Gloria Picariello; Leonard and Amelia M.
	9	Richard Louis Wangelin; Hugo P. and Janet L.
	9	Donald Ross Nickerson; Enos and Marguerite E.
	12	Joan Haffey; John and Marie A.
	13	Kenneth Potter Moore, Jr.; Kenneth P. and Doris
	14	Ann Marie Hauck; Augustus, Jr., and Gertrude M.
	14	Barbara Ann Harmon; Henry D. and Thelma M.
	14	Dorothy Josselyn Morris; Albert and Dorothy
	17	Frances Marie Rowe; Morton B. and Helen J.
	17	William Tierney Noonan; Maurice F. and Mary E.
	19	Nancy Stuart Little; Elmer H. and Helen S.
	19	Vance Saunders Litchfield; Milton R. and Margaret
	20	Richard Jay Carlson; Arthur and Leona
	24	Virginia Ethel Bell; Alfred E. and Ethel L.
	26	William Brown, 3rd; William, Jr., and Fern S.
March	2	Wanda Bedus; Joseph and Victoria
	3	Glenn Wallace Mullen; Arthur and Esther B.
	4	Robert William Nichols; John C. and Mary L.
	5	Betty Lowell Kezer; Vernal E. and Jessica G.
	6	Diana Vaughan; Walter W. and Margaret
	7	Marilyn Jean Ackroyd; Whiteley I. and Evelyn G.
	8	Paul Joseph McGoldrick; Charles C. and Elizabeth
	16	William George Lindenberger; John G. and Louisa E.
	18	Nancy Helen Parker; Lawrence and Elizabeth
	21	William Henry Dugan, Jr.; William H. and Katherine J.
	21	Jean Crosley Haigh; Ernest W. and Etta
	25	Eileen Louise Moran; Daniel H. and Evelyn L.
	25	Henry Lawson Armstrong, Jr.; Henry L. and Bertha J.
	26	Joseph William Clark, Jr.; Joseph W. and Mary E.
	27	Charles Booth Twigg; George, Jr., and Julia F.
	29	Myrtle Theresa Boyt; Bernard and Marie E.
	31	Virginia Ann Wallis; Harold S. and Josephine A.
April	2	Jean Carol Breakey; Richard H. and Lillian M.
	3	Carol Hood; Harold G. and Frances
	4	Elaine Ellis; George W. and Florence E.

- April**
- 7 Priscilla Marie Marple; Arthur E. and A. Marie
 - 15 Judith Swigart; Donald W. and Lillian
 - 17 Patricia Ann Gaughan; Thomas J. and Gertrude H.
 - 18 Merna Eileen St. Pierre; George and Catherine
 - 20 Reliance Corbin Kinne; Remsen M., Jr., and Reliance
 - 22 Faith Corbo; George A. and Lillian B.
 - 26 Joseph Edmund Trumbour, Jr.; Joseph E. and Marie L.
 - 29 Kenneth Eugene Nighman; Kenneth E. and Marion
 - 30 Meredythe Hughes; Albert D. and Ruth M.
- May**
- 1 Christopher Houghton; Henry A. and Helen
 - 2 Sally Ann Swagher; John and Gilanda L.
 - 9 Stillborn
 - 9 Frederic William Barton; Richard G. and Ruth A.
 - 9 Jean Ann McDaniels; Thomas J. and Elva
 - 10 Colin Beal Gracey; Ernest J. and Edna A.
 - 14 ——— Cappolo; Fortunato and Susie
 - 14 Carol Phyllis Anderson; Arthur and Easter
 - 19 Robert Clinton Beatty; Henry R. and Alice C.
 - 20 Joyce Agnes Finnigan; David H. and Agnes B.
 - 23 Thomas Lee Walton; Raymond and Judith
 - 24 Anna Christina Firchow; Paul K. and Marta E.
 - 24 David Gilfix; Philip and Jeanne
 - 26 Richard Brian Werner; Albert R. and Marion
 - 27 Joan Dunphy; Raymond C. and Martha M.
 - 30 Anne Ballantyne; James S. and Margaret
 - 30 Sara Ballantyne; James S. and Margaret
 - 30 Mary Elizabeth Stephen; Elton and Elizabeth
 - 31 Rowland Frederick Newton, Jr.; Rowland F. and Margaret E.
- June**
- 1 Natalie Isabelle Needham; Morton T. and Letitia
 - 3 Susan Winslow; Gordon B. and Janet
 - 5 Bruce Day Heald; Henry M. and Muriel
 - 7 Bernadette Armstrong; Leroy S. and Nora
 - 10 Frances Susan Ricci; Domenico and Angelina
 - 12 Barbara Ann Munsey; William H., Jr., and Elsie E.
 - 15 Bruce Hamilton; Donald S. and Catherine P.
 - 16 Herbert Winship Hansen, Jr.; Herbert W. and Olive A.
 - 17 Sallie Marie Stephens; Myron N. and Virginia A.
 - 20 Illegitimate
 - 23 Richard Harold Jensen; William and Constantina
 - 25 Paul Alfred Soucie; Alfred J. and Sarah J.
- July**
- 4 Doris Constance Houghton; Henry F. and Laurina D.
 - 5 Pauline Anna Donati; Victor F. and Victoria H.
 - 6 William Warburton Rawstron; Stanley and Alice L.
 - 7 Marcia Livingstone Ryan; Jerome F. and Elizabeth L.
 - 10 James Yuill Harris; Charles W. and Mary A.
 - 15 Shirley Mae McAdam; Harold V. and Ella M.
 - 23 Suzanne Lee Eaton; Laurence E. and Clarice
 - 26 Ralph Bernard Clifford; Earl B. and Theresa A.
 - 28 Paul Cole Fithian; Roswell C. and Ada A.
 - 30 Parker Hathaway Dickerman; Ralph T. and Dorothy
- August**
- 1 Ralph Maus; William and Irma M.
 - 5 Janet Elaine Giumetti; Mato N. and Angeline
 - 8 Valerie Hirst; John W. and Iola
 - 10 Nancy Ann Roberts; Arthur A. and Mabel J.
 - 11 Grace Dorothy Cimino; Charles and Amelia
 - 19 Theodore Joseph DeWolfe; Raymond P. and Sophie L.

August	19	Stillborn
	19	Allen Freile Wilcox; Francis P. and Marion
	24	David Bruce Collins; Samuel W., Jr., and Doris E.
	25	Joanne Lucille Moulton; Eldon L. and Ruth P.
	26	Wilma Doris Wright; Harry L., Jr. and Doris E.
	28	Stanley Montrose McDonald, Jr.; Stanley M. and Ruth G.
	29	Theodore Nestor Grasser, III; Theodore N., Jr., and Eleanor L.
	29	Ernesto Carlo Cavallaro; Rocco and Camella
September	1	Donald Bruce Everett; Herman V. and Gertrude E.
	5	Dorothy Ann Hinden; William, Jr., and Edith
	6	———— Wentworth; Shirley A. and Persis F.
	7	Betty Jane Colter; Edward G. and Jennie J.
	8	Roger Bernard Bailey; Fred and Esther M.
	11	Mary Frances Boyle; Frank A. and Mary A.
	17	Edna Baker; Channing N. and Edna A.
	18	Donald Robert Thomas; Hollis O., Jr., and Gertrude
	18	Alden Bruce Roberts; Joseph A. and Winifred A.
	20	Zymond Robert Nadolny; Bronislaw and Mary
	23	Muriel Vivian Stark; Frank E. and Selma
	23	Janet Eileen Flanagan; George and Eileen
	28	Elizabeth Ann Jensen; Frederick H. and Thelma E.
October	1	Stanley Albert Duvall; Albert E. and Elizabeth
	2	James Joseph Rich; Joseph and Margaret P.
	7	Jane Elizabeth Guertin; Francis L. and Myrtle V.
	10	Jacqueline Ford; Robert A. and Violet E.
	14	Richard Burnham Deming; Edgar D. and Ethel M.
	19	Ralph Edward Chamberlain; Albert E. and Sophie L.
	20	Brunton Larsson; A. Edwin and Virginia H.
	22	Ellen Elizabeth Mullaney; Joseph M. and Elizabeth A.
	29	David Conrad Jordan; Henry C. and Virginia
	31	Barbara Elizabeth McKinnon; Russell and Flora M.
November	1	Ann Toni Gherin-Ghelli; Domenic and Alda M.
	3	Robert Flanagan; John S. and Nellie M.
	4	Frederick Hale Hodgman, III; Frederick H. and Bernice F.
	6	Frances Jane Taylor; Frank E. and Ada
	6	Dorothy Marion Sedergran; Alfred D. and Marion
	7	John Harvey Alden; Dwight M. and Ruth E.
	11	Carolyn Mae Habel; George C. and Doris E.
	11	Donald Roy Coleman; Roy C. and Mildred E.
	13	Ronald Ernest Hopkins; Preston E. and Hermance
	14	John Anthony Bibbo; Nicholas and Marie D.
	14	Janet Savignano; Joseph and Alice
	18	Barbara Louise Bowlby; Scott J. and Anne M.
	22	Helen Josephine Marusa; Anthony and Bernice
	23	Carol Ann Gehling; Eliot B. and Exilda M.
	28	Nancy Cole; George E. and Edna L.
	28	Nicholas Wesley Rideout; Gordon T. and Dorothy A.
	30	Sandra Susan Ellis; Warren H. and Rachel
December	12	———— Keltie; Richard L. and Dorothy
	23	Barbara Ann Kay; Norman and Rosalie K.
	27	Joseph Novak; Nicholas and Hedwig E.

Males	72
Females	90
Both parents native born	115
One parent native born	31
Both parents foreign born	16

NOTICE

The attention of parents is called to the law relating to the registering of Births. The present requirements are as follows:

Chapter 29, Section 6, of the Revised Laws. Parents within forty days after the birth of a child . . . shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town or city in which such child is born.

Section 8. A parent . . . who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, . . . shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offense.

Attention of Physicians and Midwives is Called to Chapter 280,
Section 1, Acts of 1912

Section 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred, a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offense.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Town Clerk is prepared to furnish to parents, physicians, and mid-wives applying therefor, blanks for return of births as required by law.

MARRIAGES, 1935

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Name and Address and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
January 3	John Charles MacMaster Margaret Wilson Allardyce	Rev. G. Vaughn Shedd, Newton, Mass.
18	George Henry McCauley Victoria Johnson	Rev. P. J. Walsh, Waltham, Mass.
28	Christopher Orlando Sylvester Mawson Katharine Aldrich Whiting	Rev. Grieg Taber, Boston, Mass.
30	Harry Simonds Wright, Jr. Doris Edna Robinson	Rev. Albert H. Wheelock, Auburn, Mass.
31	John Walter Hutchins Martha Elizabeth Wilson	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
February 16	William Raymond Martin Christine Stewart	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
16	Roger Gardner Desmond Evelyn Bullard	Rev. Richard G. Preston, Worcester, Mass.
27	William Maus Irma Marion Baker	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
March 2	Robert Ralph Swanson Mary Carol Marshall	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
4	Herbert Shaler Williams Alice Gertrude Smith	Rev. James W. Macdonald, Needham, Mass.
5	Charles Tinkham Susan Arabelle Hudgins	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
12	Robert Waller Mowl Natalie Cushman	Rev. Lewis Gordon Adamson, Kingston, Mass.
16	Lewis Mood Marion Burnett Goreham	Rev. Everett L. Farnsworth, Dorchester, Mass.

April
3

Giuseppe Nunno
Helen Anzivino
Francis Henry Eaton
Helen Ethel Colley
Adam Johnstone Shaw
Helen Phyllis Holbrook
Allan Davis McIntosh
Ada Mildred Manning
Charles Edward Knowles
Eleanor Elsie Grauman
John Gerard Keating
Virginia Carol Dodd
Richard Bowdlear Wein
Helen Pearl Stranahan
Arthur Rotch
Alice Gedney Storrow

May
4

James Joseph Spillane
Corine Marie Blondin
Charles DeFazio
Lily (Webster) Anderson
Frank Willis Scotton
Barbara Alice Ward
Charles Henry Miller
Lillian Olive Hartleb
Angus N. Martin
Viola M. Ballou
Anthony Witis
Mary Ann Wallace
George N. Neil
Mary K. Hayes
Roger A. Yuill
Stella Weston

Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
Rev. Charles Lancaster, Reading, Mass.
Rev. Albert H. Wheelock, Auburn, Mass.
Rev. Harvey M. Eastman, Slatersville, R. I.
Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, Cambridge, Mass.

Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
Rev. Charles H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
Rev. Mason W. Sharp, Newton, Mass.
Rev. David K. Montgomery, West Roxbury, Mass.
Rev. Charles H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
Rev. Walter L. Jewett, Salem, N. H.
Arthur L. Cyr, Justice of the Peace, Nashua, N. H.

MARRIAGES, 1935 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Name and Address and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
June 1	Dalton Hadley Wein	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
1	Jane Burton	
1	Lawrence Herbert Sharpe	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
2	Lillian Jeannette Trundley	
2	William Walter Geyer	Rev. Earl L. Bull, Millis, Mass.
3	Ruth Marion Howie	
3	John Edward Brearley	Rev. James M. Somers, Wellesley, Mass.
4	Sarah Isabel McNeil	
4	Donald Brehaut MacPhail	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
8	Elinor Louise Glidden	
	Maxwell Bray Willis	Rev. Willard H. Roots, Mansfield, Mass.
	Edna Frances Clark	
13	James Francis McKeon	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
14	Nora Theresa Hughes	
14	Arthur Murdock Stewart, Jr.	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
15	Margaret Louise Johnson	
15	Clarence Henry Whiting	Rev. James W. Macdonald, Needham, Mass.
15	Elizabeth Oliver Kimball	
15	Harold Goodwin Purdy	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
	Lorraine Edna Morrill	
21	Francis Edward Stanwood	Rev. Charles W. Henry, Andover, Mass.
22	Elizabeth Stevens Desmond	
22	John Joseph Cassidy	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
26	Frances Virginia O'Connor	
26	Thomas Lawrence Cotter	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
27	Beatrice Celia Manning	
27	Richard Granville Coleman	Rev. Ralph F. Palmer, Arlington, Mass.
	Janet Teschner	

June 29	John Akin	Rev. Philemon F. Sturges, Jr., Wellesley, Mass.
29	Dorothy Murray Forbes	Rev. Morton D. Dunning, Wellesley, Mass.
30	Melbourne Day Nicholson	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
	Nellie Fink	
July 1	Joseph Felix Matherwicz	Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, Newton, Mass.
1	Mary Dolores LuPriore	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
6	Chester Malcolm Stratton	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
	Barbara Randlett	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
7	William Wallace Young	Rev. William Porter Niles, Nashua, N. H.
	Helen Emily Haley	Clarence E. Foss, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
	Carlo D'Amore	Winthrop M. Southworth, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
7	Marthe Magnien	Rev. Robert Lee Webb, Boston, Mass.
	Francis Andrew Perry, Jr.	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
20	Marion Patricia Spiers	Rev. A. F. Kempton, Cambridge, Mass.
	A. Gordon Wells	Rev. Arthur C. Phinney, Lynn, Mass.
20	Eleanor M. Blackmer	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
	Americo Rufo	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
20	Flora Giumetti	
	Edwin T. Lewis	
22	Irene M. Neitzel	
	Karl Ames Flint	
22	Helen Dyke Hammersley	
	Thomas James McElroy	
27	Phyllis Mary Lacoste	
	Ralph Walter Hemenway	
27	Kathryn May (Saunders) Lamson	
	Chester Balch Sawyer	
27	Margaret Bogardus Seymour	
	Kendall Scouten	
	Marion E. Steves	
27	John Joseph Walsh	
	Mildred Priscilla Colton	

MARRIAGES, 1935 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Name and Address and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
July 28	Joseph Francis Shields Josephine Mroccka	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
August 3	Alexander Findlater Hay, Jr. Edith Theresa (Matthews) Macullar	Rev. William F. Lyons, West Roxbury, Mass.
4	Robert Earle Moody Eleanor Newton Wragg	Rev. George R. Moody, Andover, Mass.
10	Ernest LeRoy Lyons Winifred Ella Shuker	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
10	Paul Urban Nickerson Marion Murchison	Rev. Robert Watson, Newton, Mass.
10	Adolf Pfannenstiel Eva Alberta (Porter) Loring	Rev. Frank T. Valdina, Dedham, Mass.
14	Winthrop Grant Smith Alice Marena Elliot	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
15	Edward Henry Caffrey Margaret Mary Monahan	Rev. Francis X. Dolan, Boston, Mass.
17	Frank Parker Bartlett, Jr. Jane Talmadge Loomis	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
19	Russell Seaver Jane Bell	Rev. Thomas E. Cramer, Manchester, N. H.
24	Ralph Edward Seidenberg Leone Eloise Low	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
28	Fleming Stewart Wright Louise Howland Wing	Rev. George D. Stanley, Bourne, Mass.
31	John Shaldone Lena Mary D'Attilio	Rev. John P. Reynolds, Newton, Mass.
September 1	Charles Howard Dillon Mildred Elizabeth Brady	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.

7	Davis Cheney McIntosh Helen Berry	Rev. Lawrence W. C. Emig, Newton, Mass.
7	Wellington G. Rodgers Mary H. Blodgett	Rev. Howard L. Brooks, Barre, Mass.
8	Lincoln Thomas Rockwell Lucy Delta MacNutt	Rev. J. Gordon Carey, Boston, Mass.
15	James J. Crawford Ruth Burkett	Winthrop M. Southworth, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
18	Gorham Wheeler Humphrey Ruth Elizabeth Starkweather	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
21	Lawrence Neill Ruth Sibley	Rev. J. H. Scammon, Weston, Mass.
21	William Vincent Sullivan Elizabeth Sarah Walsh	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
21	Augustus Murray Milner Elizabeth Beatrice Smith	Rev. Andrew Richards, Dorchester, Mass.
24	Edward Jacques Monica Margaret Raustis	Winthrop M. Southworth, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
27	Abraham Lincoln Kennedy Jeannie McAdam (Anderson) Mitchell	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
29	Paul Balcom Armstrong Josephine B. Kelley	Rev. William J. O'Brien, Boston, Mass.
29	Bernard Alfred Kalinowski Anna Hershfield	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
28	Rosario Gillotti Rose Mary Vellali	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
October 1	Thomas Frederick Brunton Alice Stuart Halkett	Rev. Sherrill Bronson Smith, Dedham, Mass.
6	Joseph John Soltys Helen Katherine Bielski	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
12	Earl Lawson Koldenborg Dora Lynette Peterson	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.

MARRIAGES, 1935 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Name and Address and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
October 12	James Francis Ross	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
12	Alice Isabel McTiernan	Rev. James W. Macdonald, Needham, Mass.
12	Donald Paul Lunsford	Clarence E. Foss, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
12	Hope Janet Coburn	Rev. George Elton Harris, Needham, Mass.
12	Francis Henry Rogers	Rev. Edward A. Elliott, Boston, Mass.
12	Mary Louise Booth	Rev. Edwin H. Byington, Needham, Mass.
12	Chester Rudolph Mills	Rev. George W. Owen, Boston, Mass.
12	Alyss J. Gregg	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
12	Dwight Richard Sturges	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
15	Florence Margaret Stanley	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
15	Robert E. Hyndman	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
16	Ruth S. Beattie	Rev. William J. O'Connell, Newton, Mass.
16	Arved R. Grauman	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
17	Irene Winifred Fall	Winthrop M. Southworth, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
17	William Joseph Geary	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
19	Celia Louise Savignano	Rev. Thomas E. Barker, Arlington, Mass.
19	Wilbur Laurence Ryerson	Rev. Watson Woodruff, Manchester, Conn.
20	Frances Dorothea Corliss	
20	Vincent Mario Pignatiello	
20	Italia Mary Tiberi	
25	Tenho Arthur Kahara	
25	Dorthene Gertrude Wheeler	
26	Rene Alfred Joseph Cloutier	
26	Toini Esther Rindell	
26	Walter Joseph Trudeau	
26	Louise Anne Heddle	
26	Ronald David Friswell	
26	Florence Caroline Weibrecht	
26	Dwight Mason McCracken	
26	Barbara B. Farnum	

27	John Primavera	Rev. Emil Baretella, Waltham, Mass.
November 4	Helen Anna Presti	
9	Harry James Wilson	Rev. George E. Harris, Needham, Mass.
9	Merna Evelyn Drew	Winthrop M. Southworth, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
11	Frank Heyn	
11	Helen Gully	Rev. Arthur E. Wilson, Providence, R. I.
16	Gustaf Edwin Youngberg	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
16	Anna Ellen Caroline Nelson	Rev. Saul G. Macy, Worcester, Mass.
27	Frederick Carpenter	Rev. Howard E. Pomeroy, Boston, Mass.
27	Beatrice Helen Ackroyd	Rev. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
28	Samuel Loomis	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
28	Bernice Willet Cragin	Rev. C. H. Davis, Needham, Mass.
28	Norman Gibson Ricker	Rev. James W. Macdonald, Needham, Mass.
28	Florence Eleanor Schobell Strachan	Rev. Newton Black, Needham, Mass.
28	Irving Manuel Kennedy	Rev. Emil Baretella, Waltham, Mass.
28	Gladys Eleanor Morgan	Rev. Thomas R. McCoy, Somerville, Mass.
28	Samuel George Cutler	
28	Ruth Christine Hansen	Rev. Arthur T. Brooks, Roxbury, Mass.
28	George Samuel Armstrong	Rev. Harry W. Kimball, Needham, Mass.
28	Marie Asanta DeMichele	
28	Willard Bates Hamlin	
28	Gertrude Jean (Wainwright) Farnham	
28	Waldo Melvin Hunt	
28	Mabel Annie Godfrey	
28	Michael Cerulo	
30	Frances Lapiano	
December 1	James Fielding Farrell	
20	Kathleen Veronica Fraser	
	Enrico Coletti	
	Edith Gertrude Gamble	
	Lucien Roman Vianey	
	Barbara Newcomb	

MARRIAGES, 1935 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Name and Address and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
December 21	Alfred Edward King Marion Inez Keene	Antonio Longarini, Justice of the Peace, Needham, Mass.
25	Oscar Edward Maukert Helen Siebert Hansis	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall, Needham, Mass.
26	Frederick Hubert Clews Eunice Fairbanks Howlett	Rev. Mason W. Sharp, Newton, Mass.
27	Einar Gustaf Johnson Mary Caroline Blanchard	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.
28	Stephen Gaius Allen Elizabeth Butler	Rev. Jay T. Stocking, Newton, Mass.
31	Francis Joseph Doran Naomi Ruth Dalrymple	Rev. Hugh M. Smith, Needham, Mass.

Number of marriages registered	126
Bride and groom both native born	94
Bride and groom both foreign born	8
Native groom, foreign bride	13
Foreign groom, native bride	11
Groom and bride residents	26
Groom resident	43
Bride resident	43
Bride and groom non-residents	14

NOTICE

Persons who intend to be joined in marriage in this Commonwealth shall, not less than five days before their marriage, cause notice of their intention to be entered in the office of the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which they respectively dwell, or if they do not dwell within the Commonwealth, in the office of the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which they propose to have the marriage solemnized.

Chapter 151, Section 29, Revised Laws

If a marriage is solemnized in another state between parties living in this Commonwealth, who return to dwell here, they shall within seven days after their return, file with the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which either of them lived at the time of their marriage, a certificate or declaration of their marriage, including the facts relative to marriage which are required by law, and for neglect thereof shall forfeit ten dollars.

DEATHS, 1935

Date	Name of Deceased	Y.	Age M.	D.	Place of Burial
1935					
January	Frederick M. Williams	75	9	17	Needham, Mass.
"	Jean Walker	75	5	10	Needham, Mass.
"	Daniel Sutherland Hamilton	78	5	19	Needham, Mass.
"	Stillborn				Needham, Mass.
"	Margaret Ellen (Quinn) Glancy	72	5	13	Needham, Mass.
"	Sarah Jane (Alcorn) Talmadge	77	2	27	West Suffield, Conn.
"	Mary Ella Bradlee	80			Everett, Mass.
"	Lillian C. (Davis) Suren	67			Cambridge, Mass.
"	Beatrice Irene (Beale) Lambert	24	3	3	Mansfield, Mass.
"	Mary Louise Shaw	61	3	21	North Abington, Mass.
"	Josephine DiFoggia	13	8	10	Needham, Mass.
"	Andrew Joseph Kelly, 3rd	10	1		Needham, Mass.
"	George L. Miller	74	1	11	Needham, Mass.
"	Fannie Garretson (Van Reyepen) Shepherd	74		14	Needham, Mass.
February	Thomas M. Falvey	80	1	20	Boston, Mass.
"	Isabel Corsetta Risk Livingstone	81	11	28	Needham, Mass.
"	James Peabody Clement	76	8	19	Needham, Mass.
"	Lillian (Mullin) Bleakney	56	1	21	Needham, Mass.
"	Hugh McGuigan	69			Needham, Mass.
"	Andrew Picariello	67			Needham, Mass.
"	Mary E. (Balfé) Hess	56		2	Boston, Mass.
"	Allene Elizabeth Hayward		11	24	Needham, Mass.
"	Esther (Calvo) Burgess	57		23	Boston, Mass.
"	Eugene Leon Leeman	4	5	22	Needham, Mass.
"	Francis William O'Leary	56	11	23	Needham, Mass.
March	John Dexter Talmadge	81	7	17	West Suffield, Conn.
"	Hulda Emmons (Debow) Foster	67	2	27	Needham, Mass.
"	Nellie (Oliver) Smith	74	1	24	St. Johnsbury, Vt.

"	16	Mary Ann (Bagguley) Gardner	77	10	14	Needham, Mass.
"	21	Sarah (Bowman) Hassam	71	7	7	Cambridge, Mass.
"	25	Charles Edward Blake	63	1	25	Norfolk, Mass.
"	25	Mary Alice (Jones) Woodward	69	10	13	Boston, Mass.
"	28	Lincoln P. Rice	51			Hyde Park, Mass.
April	1	Eva Helen (Bennett) Willis	60			Medford, Mass.
"	5	Robert Lane Hall	57	11	11	Boston, Mass.
"	10	James Chadwick	83	1	16	Needham, Mass.
"	13	George Louis Durbin	66	2	9	Needham, Mass.
"	19	Mary Helen (Andrews) Wheeler	49		26	Needham, Mass.
"	23	Mary A. Mildred McPherson	65		27	Bath, Maine
"	27	Edith Melissa Harvie	68		25	Boston, Mass.
"	29	Margaret E. (Flaherty) Shea	52			Needham, Mass.
"	30	Sarah (Lee) Searcy	83	3	2	Needham, Mass.
May	2	Maude Beatrice (Titus) Carter	56	4	30	Boston, Mass.
"	6	Arthur Hollingworth Whetton	54	4	24	Needham, Mass.
"	7	Cora C. (Fitzgerald) Dooley	72		1	Arlington, Mass.
"	8	Fannie (Chute) Darling	65		6	Franklin, Mass.
"	8	Mary (Mikkola) Mikkola	58	11	8	Mason, N. H.
"	9	Stillborn				Needham, Mass.
"	11	Michael J. Corrigan	69			Needham, Mass.
"	14	John Harrison Holman	47	4	10	Needham, Mass.
"	20	George Henry Bailey	68	1	13	Needham, Mass.
"	21	Alice (Goodwin) Schirmer	59	7	1	Needham, Mass.
"	21	Marion Frances Ringer	45	1	28	Boston, Mass.
"	23	Arthur James Morgan	53	3	22	Boston, Mass.
"	28	Mary E. (Wallis) Purcell	56			Needham, Mass.
"	29	Burt Lewis Rhea	62	9	7	Dudley Hills, Mass.
"	30	John Doran	61			Needham, Mass.
"	1	Mary (Kane) Ballance	73	5	4	Needham, Mass.
June	2	George W. Smith	75	7	7	Needham, Mass.
"	3	Kate Forrester Hobart	68	3		Mt. Adnah
"	12	Harold Edgar Keefe	39	9	12	Cambridge, Mass.
"						Boston, Mass.

DEATHS — *Continued*

Date	Name of Deceased	Y.	Age M.	D.	Place of Burial
June 13	Sibley Allen Freeman	33	7	28	Concord, N. H.
" 17	William J. Newman	40	2	20	Needham, Mass.
" 26	Paul Alfred Soucie			1	Needham, Mass.
" 29	Sarah Josephine (Gouthro) Soucie	30	10	10	Needham, Mass.
July 3	Clara Augusta (Wallace) Barta	73	6	21	Boston, Mass.
" 5	Dina Beech	67	8	29	Needham, Mass.
" 7	Bradford Patten	74	6	22	Boston, Mass.
" 16	Archibald Wright	81	7		Needham, Mass.
" 21	Maria (Rallo) Galleani	68	4	17	Boston, Mass.
" 23	Reno Wilfred Bergeron	32	3	24	Portland, Maine
" 24	Christina (Henry) Dickson	91	6	11	Boston, Mass.
" 27	Samuel Shanks Smith	79	10	11	Everett, Mass.
" 29	William J. Grover	67			Brookline, Mass.
August 9	Alice Lorraine Jones	86	6	30	Needham, Mass.
" 18	Joseph Agresta	51	4		Needham, Mass.
" 19	Stillborn				Needham, Mass.
" 19	Teckla Dorothy (Sjostrand) Wennstram	61			Needham, Mass.
" 28	Lilla Maria (Hadley) Courtenay	95	7	22	Norwood, Mass.
September 10	Minnie Kimball (Smith) Herdman	73	1	27	Needham, Mass.
" 11	Cornelius Francis Mahoney	70			Needham, Mass.
" 12	Oscar Douglas Foster	74			Needham, Mass.
" 20	Ellen Augusta (DeCoursey) Hogan	69	3	25	Needham, Mass.
" 25	Ellen (Wilson) McMann	87	7	13	Boston, Mass.
" 29	Elmer Palmer Oakman	69	4	24	Groveton, N. H.
" 30	James Doull	73		1	Marshfield, Mass.
October 1	Beulah (Waterhouse) Kimball	64	4	22	Needham, Mass.
" 5	James Worth Brownville	45	8	5	Boston, Mass.
" 23	Ellen Josephine (O'Hara) Doherty	69	8	3	Needham, Mass.
" 25	Mary Frances Arris	65	11	23	Belmont, Mass.
					Boston, Mass.

November	9	Cora Jean Livingstone	74	2	19	Needham, Mass.
"	11	Jennie (Dring) Stanwood	70	6	13	Needham, Mass.
"	19	Sarah C. (Hearn) Kelley	70	9	5	Bridgeport, Conn.
"	24	Ellen (Ryan) Hogan	97			Needham, Mass.
"	25	Mary Esther (Mitchell) Haskell	83	4	21	Pownal, Maine
"	26	Adolf Johnson	64	3	7	Needham, Mass.
"	27	Mary Charlotte (Furlong) Galvin	62	11	10	Malden, Mass.
"	29	Bertha Allen (Nixon) Pierce	46		15	Needham, Mass.
"	29	Mary Blythe Taylor Milne	64			Quincy, Mass.
"	29	Harrison Eldridge	84		20	Needham, Mass.
"	29	Josephine (Evelyn) Reece	82	9	16	Needham, Mass.
December	2	Maria Louise (Rimmele) McIntosh	75	11	2	Needham, Mass.
"	2	Addie (Nutter) Herring	79	10	14	Needham, Mass.
"	5	Arthur Freeman Lang	64	3	15	Peabody, Mass.
"	8	Clara Jane (Stewart) Brandt	78	6	17	Boston, Mass.
"	8	Mary E. Buckley	82			Needham, Mass.
"	14	John Edward Knowles	58	2	4	Needham, Mass.
"	16	Delima (Rabidoux) Boudreau	85	8		Needham, Mass.
"	16	Daniel Joseph Sullivan	68			Boston, Mass.
"	17	Aurilla Frances (Heath) Wardle	75	7	8	Dedham, Mass.
"	18	Thomas McNamara	79	11	1	Needham, Mass.
"	18	Julia Harriet (Morse) Rogers	91	3	22	Millis, Mass.
"	23	Joseph Edwin Selfe	85	11	1	Natick, Mass.
"	24	Martha (Jenkins) Allen	79	6	17	Needham, Mass.
"	30	Joseph Novak			3	Needham, Mass.

DEATHS

Number of deaths registered in 1935 (exclusive of stillborns)	112
Number of males	47
Number of females	65
Number of native born	71
Number of foreign born	44

Stillborn	3
Under one year	3
Between one and five years	1
Between five and ten years	0
Between ten and fifteen years	2
Between fifteen and twenty years	0
Between twenty and thirty years	1
Between thirty and forty years	4
Between forty and fifty years	6
Between fifty and sixty years	15
Between sixty and seventy years	31
Between seventy and eighty years	30
Between eighty and ninety years	15
Between ninety and one hundred years	4

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Voters of the Town of Needham:

The following is submitted as the two hundred and twenty-fourth annual report of the Board of Selectmen.

In January the State Decennial Census was taken as required by Statute. The final figures showed a total population of 11,928.

At the advice of Town Counsel the Board placed liability insurance on the Town Hall which proved most expedient, for in November a member of the New Century Club attending a meeting, fell and was seriously injured. To our knowledge, this is the first accident of a serious nature which has occurred at the Town Hall.

Upon order of the State Department of Public Safety, fire doors have been erected at either ends of the corridor and in the basement of the Town Hall. This work had not been planned for in our budget and it was necessary to request the Finance Committee to make a transfer from the Reserve Fund to cover the cost of construction.

In 1933 the Board passed a vote to the effect that all organizations and individuals, for any purpose, whatsoever, pay the sum of \$25.00 for rental of the Town Hall. In some instances this seems to have been a hardship, but on the other hand, everyone is now treated alike and the revenue from such rentals has increased materially.

A great amount of time has been spent in planning and carrying out ERA projects and much valuable work has been accomplished.

In spite of curtailed budgets the following departmental balances, coming directly under our supervision are shown:

Board of Survey	\$50 00	
Selectmen	2 83	
Town Hall and Grounds	6 80	
Police Department	180 31	
Fire Department	223 83	
Inspections Department	64 63	
Forest Warden	75 00	
Department of Public Works	4,659 20	
Unclassified	1,218 10	
Memorial Day	6 60	
Insurance	185 93	
		\$6,673 23

The above balances are evidence of the co-operation received from the heads of the various departments and we wish to express our appreciation.

CARLETON G. McINTOSH,
WILLIAM P. McEVOY,
PARKMAN D. HOWE,
Board of Selectmen.

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 21, 1936.

Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, Needham, Mass.

Gentlemen:— I herewith submit my report as Town Counsel for the year 1935.

The following cases have been tried or disposed of:

1. An appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by H. Harris Eaton from the decision of the Board of Assessors denying his application for an abatement of taxes on land between Great Plain Avenue and Harris Avenue was tried. The decision was in favor of the Assessors.

2. There was an appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by Marjorie C. Forbes. This appeal was settled by agreement.

3. An appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by Stillman F. Kelley was settled by agreement.

4. An appeal by Pierpont L. Stackpole and John G. Palfrey, Trustees u/w of Annie B. Richardson, was settled by agreement.

5. The case of Needham Sand & Gravel Co. *vs.* Commonwealth, Norfolk case No. 26801, was tried by me as Town Counsel *ex-officio* and on January 14, 1935, a verdict was returned for the petitioners in the amount of \$11,723.50. This case was referred to in my report of last year.

6. I collected a total of \$813.50 on account of claims for hospital and other charges due the Town.

7. A petition for the foreclosure of a tax lien on property of David Suvalle on Norfolk Street was filed and allowed.

8. A petition for the foreclosure of a tax lien on property of Arthur E. Turner on Hunnewell Street was also filed and allowed.

I have attended nearly all the regular meetings of the Selectmen and rendered numerous legal opinions to the several Town Departments, prepared and approved many deeds and other legal instruments.

*At the Annual Meeting held on March 15, 1935, the Town passed a billboard by-law, so-called, and in due course the by-law was submitted to the Attorney General for his approval. The Attorney General declined to approve the provision of the by-law which named the Planning Board as the licensing authority in the first instance and the licensing provision. Upon his refusal to grant the Town's request or to reconsider his action a petition for a writ of certiorari was brought against the Attorney General to require him to approve the by-law as passed by the Town.

In connection with the purchase of land for water purposes from the Trustees under the will of Henry S. Hunnewell I examined the title and represented the Town in connection with the acquisition of the property.

The following cases are now pending:

1. The cases of Needham *vs.* Dover and Belmont. These actions were primarily against the Town of Dover to recover for assistance rendered a soldier resident in Needham but settled in Dover. The Town of Dover claims that settlement was in Belmont. Consequently separate actions were brought against each town. The cases have been tried before an Auditor who found for the Town of Needham against Dover. The Town of Dover, however, has claimed a jury trial on specific issues.

*Note: At the time this report is being written this matter has come before a Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court at which time the Assistant Attorney General in charge of the case agreed with the Town Counsel that if the Town passed an amendment naming the Selectmen as the licensing authority he entertained no doubt about the approval of the licensing provision. In view of this assurance which was read into the record in open Court the Town Counsel agreed that the petition could be dismissed, no cause for litigation remaining, as the Selectmen, if they see fit, can, of course, refer applications for billboard licenses to the Planning Board.

2. The three actions by Ellen Guion, Louise Bischoff and Harriette Briggs for damages arising out of an alleged defect in Webster Street, tried before an Auditor in 1933, are still pending on the Jury trial list.

3. Claims for injuries and damages received in Town Ways by Grace Altier, Alton Adams, Florence E. McAleney, Eileen Smith and Estate of Bertha Weltman.

4. A petition for the foreclosure of a tax lien on property on Pine and Charles River Street belonging to John F. Horton is pending in the Land Court.

5. An appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by Workingmen's Co-operative Bank.

There are a number of pending claims for Hospital and other charges and the chances of making collections of these claims are good.

Respectfully submitted,

GILBERT W. COX,
Town Counsel.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit the annual report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1935.

With the abolition of the 18th Amendment, and the various cities and towns directly surrounding Needham, selling alcoholic beverages, there was a slight decrease in the arrests for drunkenness in 1935, from the preceding year.

The Town of Needham is practically free from the unlawful selling of liquor. This past year the police department had two search warrants, one for unlawful sale of alcoholic beverages, and the other for the unlawful manufacture of alcohol.

Through the alertness of two of my officers, namely, Wainwright and Brearley, one of the largest stills operating around Greater Boston, was found. A search warrant was obtained, and the place raided. The investigation was then turned over to the Federal Authorities. The two men who were operating this still were prosecuted in the Federal Court in Boston and were identified by the above mentioned officers of this department.

With the vast amount of automobile traffic that passes through this town in a year there has been a slight decrease in accidents, also there were fewer fatal accidents than in 1934.

The Juvenile cases that were tried in court were 50% less this year and a great many of these kind of cases were settled out of court with satisfaction to all concerned.

There were one hundred and ninety-five court cases handled during the year. Cruising Car No. 1 covered 62,613 miles during the year and cruising car No. 2 covered 8,261 miles. There were three fatal automobile accidents during the year.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation of the loyal work of the officers during the past year and to thank the Board of Selectmen and residents of the Town for their continued co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR P. BLISS,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I respectfully present the report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1935, the fiftieth of the Department, together with that of the Fire Alarm, Forest Warden and Petroleum Inspector.

The Manual Force

The manual force of the Fire Department consists of forty-one men and three substitutes, as follows: the permanent force, chief, two captains, one lieutenant and twelve men; the call force, one deputy chief, one captain and twenty-one men, and three substitutes.

We pause here to pay tribute to the memory of

ARTHUR HOLLINGWORTH WHETTON

who had been a call member of the Needham Fire Department for thirty-three years, had given many years of valuable service, passed to his just reward May 3rd., a fine fellow, liked by all his fellow members, and greatly interested in his work, his influence will long remain with us.

Apparatus

The Department is equipped with six pieces of motor apparatus, and one horse-drawn piece as follows: one Chief's car, a Buick coupe, one Maxim 1,000 gallon pumping engine, one American LaFrance ladder truck, one White Combination hose and booster pump, and one Buick forest truck at Station No. 1; one White 600-gallon pumping engine at Station No. 2; and one horse-drawn hose wagon stationed at Charles River. The apparatus is all in good mechanical condition.

Hose

An inventory of hose at the present time shows the following: 1,500 feet of 1½-inch hose, 7,050 feet 2½-inch hose, 200 feet 3-inch hose, and 650 feet of chemical hose.

During the month of October all hose was tested at a 200-pound pressure.

Fire Prevention

Continued attention has been given to the work of Fire Prevention by the system of inspection, and talks at the different schools on the subject, which will show from the statistics given at the end of the report that more attention is given to the subject of prevention, it is very gratifying in view of the fact, that very little can be accomplished toward this end without the co-operation of every citizen.

Training and Drills

Drills for the permanent men of the Department were conducted twice each week at Headquarters, and twice each month for call members, during the months from May until October, in the work of operating pumping engines, ladder work and gas mask work in the smoke house.

The Instructors were: Captain Walter W. Mullen and Captain Richard Salamone, for the permanent men, and Captain A. Sterling Holt for the call men, all having graduated from the State course in firemanship.

Captain Salamone of Engine No. 1 was also appointed by the State Vocational Division to assist many other Departments throughout the State, all time was given during his days off duty.

Mutual Aid

Successful and beneficial operation of the Mutual Aid system with the City of Newton and the Town of Wellesley has been experienced during 1935, Newton answering eight calls to Needham and Wellesley three calls.

Summary for the Year

The total number of alarms for the year was 276, of which 182 were bell alarms; 94 were still alarms.

The amount of hose used during the year was 11,150 feet, the number of gallons of chemical used was 127, and there were 825 feet of ladders raised in the extinguishing of fires.

The following is a brief summary and classified as follows:

Automobiles 14, Brush 41, Chimneys 19, Frame buildings 39, False alarms 7, Grass 64, Needless 9, No School Signals 10, Out-of-Town 4, Special calls 37, Woods 4, Dumps 17, and Miscellaneous 11.

Valuation, Insurance and Loss of Property, from January 1, 1935, to December 31, 1935.

Value of buildings	\$127,050 00
Insurance on buildings	126,100 00
Value of contents	15,000 00
Insurance on contents	13,900 00
Loss on buildings.....	8,286 52
Loss on contents	716 25
Total insurance loss on buildings and contents	9,002 77

FIRE ALARM DEPARTMENT

During the year no new aerial or underground fire alarm wires have been extended, there have been many changes made by transferring the lines to new Electric light poles which have been installed by the Edison Illuminating Company.

No new fire alarm boxes have been installed during the year, this means that no new boxes have been added to the system for the past four years.

The fire alarm signal rooms at Fire Headquarters are still unused for the purpose for which they were designed, and some steps should be taken to improve conditions, in order to get the full benefit of the available space in the building, and also to put into service the circuits which have been provided at considerable expense to the Town. There have been six hundred hours devoted to the maintenance of this Department.

FOREST WARDEN DEPARTMENT

During the year there were 1,366 permits issued for the burning of grass, brush, and rubbish. There are still some cases, where people neglect to get permits and in which case, when the Fire Department is called, are requested to reimburse the Town for the expense of extinguishing the fire.

Residents requiring to build fires in the open must obtain permits at all times during the year except at such times when snow covers the ground. These permits may be obtained at Fire Department Headquarters, Needham, or at Station No. 2, Needham Heights.

The notices relative to securing a permit from the Forest Warden before setting a fire in the open were posted in numerous conspicuous places throughout the Town and particularly in the outlying sections.

The following are the extracts from the Massachusetts Forestry Fire Laws:

Setting Fires in the Open Air

Chapter 401, Acts of 1930. No person shall set, maintain or increase a fire in the open air at any time unless the ground is substantially covered with snow, except by written permission, covering a period not exceeding ten days from the date thereof, granted by the forest warden or chief of the fire department in cities or towns, or, in cities having such an official—the fire commissioner; provided, that debris from fields, gardens and orchards, and leaves and rubbish from yards, may be burned on ploughed fields by the owners thereof, their agents or lessees, if such fire is at least two hundred feet distant from any sprout or forest land and at least fifty feet distant from any building and is properly attended until extinguished; and provided, further, that persons above the age of eighteen may set or maintain a fire for a reasonable purpose upon sandy land, or upon salt marshes or sandy or rocky beaches bordering on tide water, if the fire is enclosed within rocks, metal or other non-inflammable material. The forester may make rules and regulations relating to the granting and revocation of such permits binding throughout the Commonwealth. Such rules and regulations shall take effect subject to Section thirty-seven of Chapter 30, when approved by the Governor and Council. The forest wardens in towns and officials performing the duties of forest wardens in cities shall cause public notice to be given of the provisions of this Section and shall enforce the same. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than one month, or both.

PETROLEUM INSPECTOR

Permits issued for the storage of fuel oil in connection with Domestic oil burners.....	155
Permits issued for the storage of range oil in connection with Range burners	153
Total	308
Total gallons of fuel oil stored in connection with the above burners	59,605

I wish here to make acknowledgment of my grateful appreciation of the co-operation received from the Selectmen, and the various Town Departments during the past year, and to thank the men of the Fire Department for their continued loyalty to duty.

Respectfully submitted,

T. ROBERT QUINLAN,
Chief of Fire Department.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Needham, Mass.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The report of Department of Sealer of Weights and Measures is submitted for year ending December 31, 1935. Annual inspections made, 119.

Fees collected turned over to Treasurer, \$91.30.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. STANTON,
Sealer.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

One thousand thirty-five dogs were licensed. Two, twenty-five dollar kennel licenses and one fifty dollar kennel license were issued during the year. There were thirty-five more dogs licensed during the year 1935 than during 1934.

All complaints to date have been attended to.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. HEWETT,
Dog Officer.

January 20, 1936.

REPORT OF FISH AND GAME WARDEN

January 17, 1936.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

The licenses of eighty-five hunters and fishermen were checked and found to be correct. One arrest was made and conviction secured for violation of the Fish and Game Laws. One case of allegedly illegal trapping was investigated but no violation of the law was found. I found no case where the rights of others were disregarded. The sportsmen generally are appreciative of the privileges extended by the landowners.

Liberations of fish and game in Needham and adjoining covers and waters were as follows: 225 pheasants, 110 quail, 3,000 brown trout and 1,350 brook trout. The trout from 9 to 11 inches long were planted in the Charles River at the Bleachery Dam.

Much of the credit for the liberation of this large stock must go to the Needham Sportsman's Club. This association has not only co-operated with the Division of Fisheries and Game to secure large allotments of fish and game but has with its own funds purchased and liberated a considerable number of game birds.

Perhaps a more important duty of a warden than the enforcement of the law is the care of the game in the covers. The winter of 1934-35 was exceptionally severe on game birds, especially quail. Feeding stations were established in all covers where the birds congregated. The State

Warden, Henry M. Parlee, and members of the Needham Sportsman's Club co-operated with me in this work.

Although, no doubt, many game birds were lost during the severe weather of last winter an excellent hatching season to some extent offset these losses and this, coupled with the liberations mentioned, afforded upland gunners the best season for several years. Because of the stringent federal regulations concerning migratory birds there was practically no duck shooting along the Charles River. There was a noticeable increase in the number of ruffed grouse or partridge in the local covers, but woodcock, generally plentiful in this area, were almost entirely absent.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK R. BRIDGES,
Fish and Game Warden.

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my nineteenth annual report as Building Inspector, and the twenty-third of this department.

The estimated cost of construction, a total for the year of \$504,850 is shown by the monthly issue of permits as follows:

	No. Permits	Estimated Value
January	3	\$7,000
February	2	600
March	8	11,600
April	15	48,675
May	14	53,250
June	16	32,725
July	22	55,225
August	14	66,500
September	11	33,575
October	28	71,550
November	23	68,075
December	20	56,075
	176	\$504,850

The number of building permits issued from this office during the past year is 176, classified as follows:

	No. Permits	Estimated Value
Dwellings	61	\$415,800
Garages	50	19,200
Additions and Alterations	50	55,425
Miscellaneous	13	14,425
Transfer of Permits	2	
	176	\$504,850

The amount collected for permits and turned over to the Town Treasurer for the use of the Town is as follows: Building, \$650.00; Cesspools, \$114.00; Plumbing, \$948.80; Gas, \$116.00; Electric, \$1,140.00; Sealer, \$93.00. Total, \$3,061.80.

Office hours of the Inspection Department are from 9 to 12 A.M. each week day except Saturday at the Town Hall, tel. 0128-J.

A Certificate for occupancy is issued for all buildings after a final inspection is made by the building inspector and the plumbing and wiring inspections are completed. All permits issued under the authorities of the Building Code must be taken out before work is started.

Penalties

Whoever violates any provision of the By-Laws shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars.

I wish to express my appreciation of the co-operation and support given this department by the Board of Selectmen and other departments of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

H. HOWARD UPHAM,

Building Inspector.

REPORT OF WIRE INSPECTOR

December 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — Herewith is submitted the report of the Inspector of Wires for the year ended December 31, 1935, giving a record of permits issued and the amount of money paid over to the Town Treasurer.

Permits issued during the calendar year numbered 521, and the revenue received \$1,140.00. In the immediate preceding year, 1934, 433 permits were issued, which brought an income of \$842.15. There was therefore an increase of 88 permits in 1935 over the corresponding period of 1934, and an increase in revenue of \$299.85.

The following table shows the permits issued and the revenue received by months during the calendar year 1935:

	Permits	Revenue
January	44	\$80 50
February	29	62 75
March	17	31 75
April	39	79 50
May	51	91 25
June	37	69 00
July	53	151 50
August	53	151 25
September	52	97 25
October	64	131 75
November	40	105 75
December	42	87 75
Total	521	\$1,140 00

Copies of the Rules and Regulations governing the installation of wiring and appliances may be had at the office of the Inspector of Wires in the basement of the Town Hall between the hours of 9 A.M. and 12.00 noon daily, except Saturday.

A permit must be obtained before any wiring or electrical work is started.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH ALEXANDER,

Inspector of Wires.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital respectfully submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1935:

The hospital has continued to render valuable service and has been a haven to many, especially those who have been so unfortunate as to meet with automobile or other accidents. Our limited space and resources have at times been utilized to the fullest extent in tenderly caring for those who have availed themselves of our privileges.

It is the earnest purpose of our personnel to do everything possible to heal and restore to health and usefulness those who come under our care.

We have been heartened by the favorable action of the Town in providing for new hospital facilities and when the building is erected and equipped, the scope of our work will be enlarged and we will be better enabled to more efficiently minister to the sick and suffering of our community.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. McCracken, *President*,
MARGARET O. CHASE, *Secretary*,
WILLIAM MITCHELL, M.D.,
FRANCES E. ROWLANDS,
DAVID E. MANN, M.D.,

Glover Memorial Hospital Trustees.

January 27, 1936.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital and to the Citizens of the Town of Needham:

It is a pleasure to submit the following brief report of the work carried on at the Glover Memorial Hospital for the year ending December 31, 1935:

Number of patients admitted	388
Number of male patients	166
Number of female patients	222
Number of patients hospitalized	238
Number of outpatients	150
Number of outpatients visits	913
Average stay in the hospital	9.77 days
Total number of patients days	2,325 days
Number of medical cases	18
Number of medical cases hospitalized	15
Number of medical outpatients	3
Number of surgical cases	310
Number of major operations	44
Number of minor operations	266
Number of tonsil operations	72
Number of casts applied	18
Number of splints applied	22
Number of maternity cases	33
Number of births	33

Deaths	15
Adults	12
Children	1
Babies (stillborn)	2
Number in hospital December 31, 1935	5

Our Donation Day was on October 31, 1935. We wish to express our appreciation to the Townspeople for their generous response and assure them that the donations of vegetables, fruits, jellies, jams and canned goods were very useful. We also wish to express our thanks to the various citizens who have given us magazine subscriptions.

During the year we have worked with the Welfare Department and the Soldier's Relief as in the past on a basis of 50% reduction in charges. Under this arrangement the hospital bore \$421.18 of the hospitalization expense for these departments.

We have been obliged to turn away many prospective patients for lack of accommodations, particularly private rooms. With the enlarged facilities which the new building will offer in this respect we look for a substantial increase in our revenue.

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE J. YOUNG, R.N.,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF STATE AND MILITARY AID AND SOLDIERS' RELIEF

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — The report of activities in State Aid, Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief for the year 1935 is herewith submitted:

COMPARATIVE EXPENDITURES

	State Aid	Military Aid	Soldiers' Relief
1928	\$168 00	\$120 00	\$1,253 00
1929	18 00	240 00	1,570 56
1930	none	30 00	5,146 90
1931	24 00	none	8,018 23
1932	72 00	90 00	14,783 01
1933	30 00	235 00	17,157 03
1934	320 00	270 00	14,900 66
1935	330 00	300 00	13,655 04

Governmental activities in the form of work projects have been more beneficial during this year than in 1934 and the value of such subsidiaries is set at \$10,000.

During the year 53 cases, representing 222 persons have been recipients of assistance.

The commissary established two years ago has been found to be a prudent measure and in making purchases we have in every instance considered dealing with local merchants.

The distribution of Federal clothing materials and food stuffs has been continued, with a definite benefit to recipients.

Wood cutting activities started in January, 1935, are summarized as follows:

Total cords of wood delivered	101
Out-of-pocket cost for deliveries, equipment, etc.	\$445 41
(Total cost of equipment is included in this figure)	
UNIT COST Per CORD	\$4 41

The wood referred to above has been cut from Town lots and through the kindness of individuals from private property, chiefly the McCracken land off Nehoiden Street. Through this agency, Mr. McCracken is thanked on behalf of the workers and the recipients. It is expected that a large portion will be cut from the Water Department property recently acquired by the Town near the Natick boundary off Charles River Street. This work is being preformed under the supervision of Mr. E. E. Riley, Tree Warden, and Mr. Roger Oakman, Water Department Supervisor. It is expected that wood-cutting activities will be found prudent for at least three more years.

Produce Garden Activities — There was an attempt made to support produce garden activities for the benefit of recipients who elected to care for same, and while certain individuals benefited from their labors, the project as a whole, should not be attempted next year.

The Forecast for 1936 — providing Government Work Projects continue, it is expected out-of-pocket cost will be \$15,000 for Soldiers' Relief — State Aid \$500 — Military Aid \$500.

Separate quarters have been provided for this activity in the basement of the Town Hall and we now have suitable storage facilities to accommodate our commissary.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS J. STANWOOD,

Agent.

January 27, 1936.

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF MEMORIAL PARK TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR 1935

The outstanding event at Memorial Park during the year was the presentation to the Town of a bronze tablet by the Needham Post 14 American Legion — on Armistice Day, November 11th.

The exercises at the unveiling of the tablet were dignified and impressive. The Commander, Franklin E. Welch dedicated the Memorial Tablet on behalf of the Needham Post. The wording on the Tablet "To those of Needham who served their country in the World War, 1917-1918, and in memory of those who died in service." The tablet was accepted for the Town by Carleton G. McIntosh, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and placed in the care of the Trustees of Memorial Park. The orators of the day were Senator Samuel H. Wragg and Congressman Richard B. Wigglesworth.

In 1934, the Building Inspector of Needham pronounced the Legion Home unsafe. This was rectified during the year 1935 by placing steel beams in the basement and first floor. A great improvement was made in the Legion Home by removing the partitions on the first floor thereby making a suitable room for meetings and also making a room in the basement. The Legion did all the interior painting and placed a beautiful stained glass window in the home.

The outside of the House was given two coats of White Lead paint.

The work on the Field and Park consisted of reseeded, fertilizing, etc., Mr. Patrick Hughes continued as caretaker and the grounds were maintained in excellent condition.

The athletic fields are used constantly by the schools and town teams for their games.

Respectfully submitted,
T. J. CROSSMAN,
Chairman of Memorial Park Trustees.

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

December 31, 1935.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham:

The year 1935 has been an active one for the Planning Board in connection with many phases involved in zoning and planning.

The Planning Board conferred with those who were interested in the development of a Federal Project to control more adequately the mosquito pest in connection with the development of the Charles River.

Since the formation under recent legislation of the Massachusetts State Planning Board the Planning Board has maintained close contact with the state board so that Needham might gain every advantage possible under this new legislation. They have also supported heartily the efforts of the Massachusetts Federation of Planning Boards in their legislative activities which all look forward to the future and proper planning.

Mr. Ernest B. Allen of the Planning Board was elected to head the recently formed Associated Planning Boards of Norfolk County.

At the Annual Town Meeting in March, the new Billboard Amendment was passed and the Planning Board has co-operated with the Selectmen, actively endeavoring to secure the Attorney General's approval of this amendment and it is hoped that final adjudication on certain minor legal matters will have been completed so that the voters of the Town may, at the Town Meeting in March, vote minor changes amending this legislation, thus making it accord fully with all of the Commonwealth's requirements if found necessary.

The Federal Project under Article 8 approved by the voters at the Special Town Meeting, although not yet formally approved by the Federal Government, and which called for an expenditure by the Town not in excess of \$1,500.00 in conjunction with a Federal grant of approximately \$8500.00 would provide employment equivalent to 15 men for a period of 8 months. It is still hoped that the Federal Government will finally grant this award thus providing for Needham very important and much needed information to be used in considering the future development of the town.

The Planning Board continues to recommend that route 128 be kept free from any commercial activities and has been much heartened by the support given to them in their endeavors to do so. To continue to do this will be in line with the general purposes of the Commonwealth in providing real scenic highways through towns. There are now on file in the legislature bills sponsored by the State Planning Board and the Massachusetts Federation of Planning Board, which, if passed, will protect the roadsides from encroachments.

The Planning Board has carefully studied the present lay-out of Great Plain Avenue extending from Central Avenue to the Wellesley line and in connection with this study have conferred with the Wellesley Planning Board in reference to Great Plain Avenue on the Wellesley side of the line. The object of this study was made for the purpose of eliminating dangerous intersections and curves on this road as situated in Needham and Wellesley. In following up the 1934 activities of the Board the County Commissioners made a survey of that portion of Great Plain Avenue extending from Central Avenue to the Wellesley line, but in view of the present financial circumstances your Board of Selectmen, after conferring with the Planning Board, did not feel that this improvement could meet with their approval at this time. The Planning Board, however, is convinced that this highway should be laid out in the very near future along the lines laid down by the County Commissioners and recommends its consideration to the

citizens who are interested in the development of that portion of the Town lying west of Needham Square. This improved highway would provide a safer means of travel between the towns of Needham and Wellesley and the development of this area because of such a highway will well repay the Town for the expenditure.

The Planning Board appreciates the co-operation of the various other boards and town organizations and the hearty support given to it by the citizens as a whole.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE A. YOUNG, *Chairman*,
ARTHUR W. ROHN, *Secretary*,
ERNEST B. ALLEN,
ARTHUR G. CURREN,
WILLIAM ADAMS.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of the Town of Needham:

The Board of Health takes great satisfaction in the fact that for the first time there was no case of diphtheria reported in Needham in 1935. The results of health work often seem slow, but they are none the less important. Twenty years ago in 1915 with the population 6,092, there were 15 cases of diphtheria reported. With the population almost doubled today, had no preventive work been done in diphtheria, it is probable there would have been at least 30 cases in the Town. With the splendid work done by the physicians, together with the Diphtheria Clinics conducted by the Board of Health, this dread disease of childhood, with its high cost in lives and dollars has been practically eliminated. Another milestone has been reached in preventive work.

The work of the Board as carried out by the Health Officer and Nurse has been excellent and is given in detail in their separate reports submitted herewith. The progress of the tuberculosis work cannot be adequately measured in the short time that the present program has been under way. Through the efficient work of Mrs. Mayers, however, the cases are carefully followed up, the children who are contacts with the disease are given supervision and over a longer period the results will be seen. It is hoped that soon the tuberculosis clinic for X-Ray examination can be conducted in Needham. At present such examination is made at the Norfolk County Hospital.

In October, the Board of Health endorsed the Safe Driving Campaign of the Boston Traveler. The deaths due to automobile accidents have become of National concern. The matter is one well within the province of health authorities as one of their objectives is to lower the death-rate from accidents and disease. It is urged, therefore, that everyone who drives a car makes a pledge to drive carefully and help to prevent death on the highways.

A dog clinic for inoculation against rabies was held by the Board for the first time this year. It is hoped that the vital importance of this work in the control of rabies will be more fully realized when the next clinic is held, so that many more dogs will be treated.

The outstanding work of the Dental Clinic now being conducted in an office in the Town Hall by the Public Health Committee of the New Century Club, has been of great value. The preliminary survey was made when Dr. Erma Grapek was Chairman of the Committee, and has been ably carried to completion by Mrs. Raymond J. Cook, the present Chairman of the Committee. The clinic is supported through private subscription and the New Century Club. It proves the great need of the extension of dental service for school children. This has been recommended by the Board of Health for several years, but through lack of funds it has not been possible to start the work. An appropriation is included in the budget for 1936, as this work should be carried on under the Board.

There is also an appropriation requested for a part-time clerical worker this year. It is absolutely essential that the Board have clerical service. When the Diphtheria Clinics were conducted this year it was extremely fortunate that Miss Sarah Chiappisi volunteered her services for six weeks. A health program protects all the people and the expense should be borne by public funds, and not be dependent on volunteer workers and private subscriptions.

Besides thanking Miss Chiappisi, the Board once again wishes to express its appreciation to the many other individuals and organizations in the Town that do so much of the health work. Through them it is possible to carry out a program that would otherwise be impossible, owing to the limited funds of the Board. At the Diphtheria clinics Miss Eugenia Minor,

the visiting nurse, and Mrs. Ruth V. Smith, the school nurse, both helped, and Dr. Edward Broderick, Dr. Kenneth Christophe, Dr. Henry R. Gilbert and Dr. David E. Mann also gave their services. The School Committee gave the use of the Riverside School for one of the clinics. Both the Public Health Committee and the Volunteer Service Committee of the New Century Club have assisted in transportation to the Diphtheria Clinics and in taking persons to the Norfolk County Hospital for examination. In addition to all these organizations and volunteers, the Needham Chapter of the Red Cross, the Norfolk County Health Association and the Visiting Nurse Association all are making a real contribution to the health work of the Town. The Red Cross made a very large donation to the Health Camp Fund so as to make it possible to send children to the splendid camp conducted in the summer by the Norfolk County Hospital. Through the Tuberculosis Seal Sale of the Norfolk County Health Association, together with donations from the Red Cross, the Catholic Women's Guild, and other personal contributions, eleven children were sent to the Health Camp for eight weeks. Also the Red Cross provides the money for the Well Baby Clinic conducted by the Visiting Nurse Association. The Board appreciates the fine work Miss Minor does with this clinic, as it is a vital part of any health program and means so much to the mothers of the community. The Veterans of Foreign Wars gave the use of their building for the Dog Clinic and the Boy Scouts of Troop I helped with the dogs. Also, the Board is grateful for the use of a car for the Nurse.

Through an arrangement with the Board of Selectmen the care of the Dump will be taken over in 1936 by the Board of Public Works. This will result in economy and efficiency. A further step in the same direction should be made by having the Town undertake the collection of rubbish. Only in this way can the proper regulation of dumps be assured and the small, unsightly roadside dump be abolished. The rat menace, always a problem with dumps, would also be under better control.

The erection of a pumping station for the extension of the sewerage system in Needham Heights and North Needham should not be delayed any longer. A project should be submitted under WPA as soon as possible. With Federal funds available the immediate cost to the Town would be greatly decreased. Proper sanitary safeguards for that part of the Town are most important.

The following recommendations are made:

1. Employment of a part-time clerk by the Board.
2. A dental clinic for school children conducted by the Board.
3. Building of a pumping station and extension of the sewer in Needham Heights and North Needham.
4. Town collection of rubbish, with provision in the near future for building a rubbish incinerator.
5. Continuation of the mosquito control program.

LESLIE B. CUTLER, *Chairman*,
ROBERT N. McCLELLAN, *Secretary*,
DAVID E. MANN, M.D.,

Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE HEALTH OFFICER, 1935

To the Board of Health of Needham:

I have the pleasure to submit the following report for 1935.

General Administration and Vital Statistics

A large part of the Health Officer's time must be spent in administrative duties and office routine which includes the handling of reports of diseases. As part of these duties \$90.50 in fees for 107 licenses issued by the Board was received for the Town during the year.

The birth and death rates shown in Table I are for residents of Needham only, non-residents and stillbirths are deducted, and the births or deaths of residents which occurred outside of Needham are included. The population figures are estimated as of July first and are based on the Federal Census of 1930 and the State Census of 1935. The rates have been revised from 1930 to conform with the revised population figures.

TABLE I
Birth, Death, and Infant Mortality Rates — Revised

Year	Mid-Year Population	Births of Residents	Resident Birth Rate per 1000 Population	Deaths of Residents	Resident Death Rate per 1000 Population	Infant Deaths, Residents	Infant Mortality Rate
1930	10,896	167	15.3	107	9.8	6	36
1931	11,103	173	15.6	122	11.0	7	40
1932	11,310	160	14.1	99	8.8	2	13
1933	11,517	152	13.2	115	10.0	5	33
1934	11,724	148	12.6	112	9.6	4	27
1935	11,931	...	...	104	8.7	..	..

Communicable Diseases

In 1935, 1,106 cases of communicable disease were reported. This large number was due chiefly to the epidemic of German measles in the Spring. Nine cases of lobar pneumonia were reported with six deaths. There were 81 dog bites reported, such reports have steadily increased each year. Only one case of poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) was reported. 1935 was a record year as regards diphtheria as no cases of this unnecessary disease occurred. Nine new cases of pulmonary tuberculosis and two deaths were reported. A detailed record of the tuberculosis situation in Needham will be found in the report of Mrs. Mayers, the Board of Health Nurse.

A total of \$6,384.36 was expended in providing treatment and hospital care for those suffering from communicable diseases (including tuberculosis) who could not be properly cared for at home. Payments amounting to \$1,594.46 were received for treatment making a net cost to the Town of \$4,789.90. Due to the present economic situation many families cannot meet an unexpected bill for hospitalization, and the Board of Health is obliged to pay for this necessary service.

TABLE II
Cases of Communicable Diseases, 1930 to 1935

Disease	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
Anterior poliomyelitis	1	1	...	1	...	1
Chicken pox	27	79	29	107	193	65
Diphtheria	6	1	3	3	2	...
Diseases of the eye	...	1	1	1	1	1
Dog bite	27	35	48	50	64	81
Encephalitis lethargica	...	1	...	...	...	...
German measles	129	26	11	10	10	832
Gonorrhea	2	11	7	3	9	11
Influenza*	1	2	1	...	...	...
Lobar pneumonia	9	5	5	6	18	9
Measles	221	32	14	51	183	4
Mumps	10	32	17	298	345	6
Pellagra	...	...	...	...	...	1
Scarlet fever	18	20	61	33	41	54
Septic sore throat	1	...	...	...	...	...
Syphilis	1	2	...	2	8	7
Tuberculosis:						
Pulmonary	6	5	2	6	16	9
Extra-pulmonary	2	4	6	20	1	1
Whooping cough	37	15	94	72	119	24
Total — Each Year	498	272	299	663	1,010	1,106

*On May 9, 1933, influenza was withdrawn from the list of reportable diseases.

Diphtheria Immunization

In December, the Board of Health conducted six clinics without charge for the immunization of children against diphtheria. Letters were mailed to parents of pre-school children and notices were taken home by the school children in the lower grades urging immunization. The Board was fortunate in securing the volunteer services of Miss Sarah Chiappisi who made many home visits and also rendered valuable clerical assistance at this time. Through the courtesy of the School Committee one series of three clinics was held at the Riverside School at North Needham where un-immunized children living in that vicinity were inoculated on December 5, 12, and 19. Twenty-four received the required three doses of toxoid. The other series of clinics was held in the Town Hall on the afternoons of December 9, 16, and 23. One hundred fourteen children were present and eighty-nine of them completed the three inoculations. A total of 113 children were immunized at the clinics.

As in former years the physicians at the clinics (Doctors Broderick, Christophe, Gilbert, and Mann) kindly volunteered their services. Valuable assistance was also given by committee members of the New Century Club, Miss Chiappisi, Miss Minor, and Mrs. Smith.

Dog Clinic

On July 24 and 25, the Board conducted two clinics at which dogs were inoculated against rabies. These were the first such clinics to be held in Needham. All owners of licensed dogs were notified of the clinics by mail. A nominal charge of fifty cents for each dog treated was made to help defray the cost of the work and \$65.50 was taken in for the use of the Town. A metal tag was furnished for each dog vaccinated. Through the courtesy of the Veterans of Foreign Wars the clinics were held in their

Headquarters on Chestnut Street. Dr. Thomas A. Doyle of Natick was employed as the veterinarian. He was assisted by the Board of Health Nurse and expert handlers from the Angell Memorial Animal Hospital. Boy Scouts from Troop I also assisted. Sixty dogs were inoculated on the afternoon of the twenty-fourth and seventy-one on the following day, making a total of only 131 treated.

Sanitation

Inspections were made of the local bakeries and food-handling establishments. One new manufacturing bakery was registered in 1935 making a total of three such bakeries. Local dairies and establishments for the pasteurization of milk were inspected, there are three such pasteurizing plants in Town. Twenty-four firms and individuals distributed milk in Needham and thirty-six milk licenses were issued to retail stores. Over 90% of the milk sold in Needham is pasteurized.

The Town dump was maintained throughout the year and an attendant was stationed there by the Board of Health. Through the co-operation of the Department of Public Welfare another man was also stationed there until August 18.

The complaints received were investigated and abated or adjusted. Overflowing cesspools and improper disposal of rubbish are still the cause of the majority of the complaints. The collection of garbage was efficiently carried out by the contractor, Mr. Waldo M. Chamberlain. The mosquito control work was again carried on with Federal funds under the direction of Mr. Hollis, the Superintendent of Public Works.

Laboratory

One hundred seventy-two specimens were examined in the laboratory for physicians, a smaller number than in 1934. The specimens included throat cultures for diphtheria, sputa for tuberculosis, smears for gonorrhea, and swabs for Vincent's angina. Analyses of the milk sold in Needham were carried out as frequently as time permitted. The milk sold continued to be of good quality.

Anyone interested in obtaining further details of any of the activities reported on is cordially invited to visit the office in the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

G. DONALD BUCKNER, S. B.,
Health Officer and Inspector of Milk.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH NURSE, 1935

To the Board of Health of Needham:

I herewith submit my report as half-time Board of Health Nurse for 1935.

The greater part of the time spent by the nurse during her three days of work each week for the Board is in tuberculosis control work. Of the nine new cases of pulmonary tuberculosis reported during the year, two were placed in private sanatoria, one went to Westfield State Sanatorium, one to Rutland State Sanatorium, two to Norfolk County Hospital, and three were quiescent cases which were not in need of hospital care. One new case of the childhood type of tuberculosis was reported and was cared for at home.

There were seven Needham residents in Norfolk County Hospital on January 1, 1935. During the year three were discharged as arrested, one left on leave of absence and returned each week for treatment, one transferred to a private sanatorium, and one died at the hospital. Three patients from Needham were admitted in 1935.

On May 1, the clinic staff of the Norfolk County Hospital held a clinic in the Town Hall at which thirty-five children from Needham, Dedham, and Wellesley were given physical examinations and X-rayed as applicants for the summer health camp, Camp Norfolk.

The follow-up Chadwick Clinic held in June was attended by the Board of Health Nurse who again called upon the children's parents to see that the instructions given by the Clinic were carried out.

Eleven children were sent to Camp Norfolk on the grounds of the County Hospital from July 1 to August 26 and all were greatly benefited by the eight weeks of supervised out-of-door life. This gives these children a splendid opportunity to build up future health and resistance. The funds for these children were made possible by gifts from the Norfolk County Health Association, the Needham Chapter of the Red Cross, the Needham branch of the Massachusetts Catholic Women's Guild, and private individuals.

Assistance was given to the veterinarian by the Nurse at the dog clinics in July. The nurse assisted at the diphtheria immunization clinics held in December and directed by the Health Officer.

TUBERCULOSIS SUMMARY, 1935

Families on visiting list	98
Home visits made	292
Individuals examined and X-rayed at Norfolk County Hospital ...	99

The following table shows the disposition of the active cases of tuberculosis as of December 31, 1935:

Form	At Home	In Hospital	Total
Pulmonary	2	10	12
Childhood type (Hilum)	21	..	21
Extra-pulmonary .....	..	2	2
Totals	23	12	35

I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the Board of Health and the Health Officer, and to the New Century Club for assistance in transporting patients to Norfolk County Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE M. MAYERS, R. N.,

Board of Health Nurse.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

December 31, 1935.

To the Citizens of the Town of Needham:

Our 22nd annual report is herewith respectfully submitted.

Needless to say, the past year has seen very little change from the previous three years in the amount of work required and aid given. During this past year we have given aid to a total of 363 cases, representing 887 persons, divided as follows:

	1935		1934	
	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons
Temporary Aid	283	756	259	1,189
Mother's Aid	16	67	14	56
Old Age Assistance	64	64	51	51

It will be noted that our case load over the entire year has increased. This is accounted for in a number of different ways, one of which is the fact of continuance of unemployment among those who were not enrolled on WPA at its beginning and who now cannot be certified because of rules of the WPA until such time as they have been on relief for thirty days. Many of the cases which we are aiding are receiving supplementary aid on account of insufficient income from the WPA. We have also been obliged to furnish many such cases with shoes and rubbers.

Our gross total expenditures, including everything, were \$65,475.72, divided as follows:

Temporary Aid	\$36,848.47
Mother's Aid	6,911.66
Old Age Assistance	14,548.61
Administrative and General Expense	7,166.98

Our net expense was \$40,415.50, arrived at by deducting credits of \$1,592.10, which are returned to the Welfare Appropriation, and reimbursements of \$23,468.12 received from cities and towns and the state, WHICH DO NOT RETURN TO THE CREDIT OF THE WELFARE APPROPRIATION, BUT REVERT TO THE GENERAL FUND. These reimbursements may be classified as follows:

Mother's Aid	\$5,143.09
Old Age Assistance	5,856.40
Temporary Aid	12,468.63

Not all of these reimbursements are returned without much effort on the part of this department in forcing collection from cities and towns and sometimes the state, who dispute our ruling on settlement.

We are still operating our woodcutting project, now under WPA, and during the past year we have used this as a means of obtaining reimbursement for the aid given by the able-bodied member of the family working for the aid. According to our best estimates there have been 415 cords of wood cut and 290 cords delivered during the year.

This department continued to distribute Federal Surplus Commodities until November 1st, when this work was taken over as a WPA project with two paid employees, this department only retaining the responsibility of passing on those who are eligible to receive commodities who are not employed on WPA.

Our inventory at the end of 1935 was made up of clothing, underwear, shoes, and rubbers, and amounted to \$865.31.

We wish to extend thanks to all who have in any way assisted us in handling many difficult situations during the past year, also to add a word of commendation for the manner in which our local WPA employees

have conducted themselves on several occasions when pay was not forthcoming, it being the happy record in this Town that there have been no serious disturbances at any time.

We do not wish to conclude this report without expressing our sincere appreciation of and gratitude for the admirable work that has been rendered by our office staff, Mr. F. W. Blanchard, Mrs. Zella M. Johnston, and Miss Eunice Whitaker. The task that is theirs is never an easy one and is often very difficult, but without exception the service rendered has been splendid, whether in the regular line of duty or in the unusual instances that required long hours of over-time work for the happiness of others.

Respectfully submitted,

EVAN C. THORPE, *Chairman*,
CATHERINE F. TAPPAN,
AUSTIN H. KEYES,
CHARLES H. DAVIS,
STEWART B. JOHNSTON,

Board of Public Welfare.

COMPARATIVE CLASSIFICATION OF AID RENDERED

	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
Board	\$2,251 58	\$2,021 82	\$1,529 85	\$2,883 56	\$2,954 27	\$2,690 64	\$3,096 97	\$3,945 28	\$5,466 02	\$4,689 75
Rent	237 00	818 00	805 00	515 00	1,103 70	3,737 08	7,486 38	10,420 28	6,795 71	8,173 76
Food	12 00	153 10	.....	15 26	216 13	3,172 25	5,904 84	5,905 69	5,104 78	5,295 23
Medical aid	88 92	.....	61 50	114 00	258 56	387 81	1,332 93	1,058 66	1,448 05	2,472 14
Clothing .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155 76	133 00	830 68	1,207 19
Fuel .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	351 44	519 52	2,640 61	388 18
Agent's salary	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00	500 00	483 34	50 00	1,181 33	1,363 53	1,572 48
Visitor's salary .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	1,200 00	1,609 33	1,190 00	1,147 64
Clerk's salary	80 61	186 38	65 25	139 26	249 06	394 11	500 00	1,163 78	793 19	679 88
Misc. and dept. expense .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	576 24	882 90	1,397 42	1,098 02
Woodlot expense .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,699 50	1,869 08	1,708 63	940 66
Hospital	1,798 39	963 82	148 54	.....	202 95	1,379 67	1,988 33	3,073 97	1,917 43	2,254 50
Burials	50 00	.....	250 00	.....	.....	381 00	.....	133 00	449 00	463 50
Cash disbursements	6,692 06	7,700 87	11,741 06	11,795 00	16,188 00	26,234 39	41,127 02	47,560 48	33,117 77	32,943 10
ERA expenses .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	796 17	239 37
ERA Investigator .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	227 06
Taxes and water bills ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	91 16
Gross expenditure	\$11,723 34	\$12,344 73	\$14,944 50	\$16,046 28	\$22,329 39	\$39,360 29	\$65,469 41	\$78,856 30	\$65,018 99	\$63,883 62
Reimbursements	6,536 95	2,203 44	2,158 30	3,554 63	2,568 08	3,956 64	11,688 93	21,196 10	25,453 19	23,468 12
Net expenditure	\$5,186 39	\$10,141 29	\$12,836 20	\$12,491 65	\$19,761 31	\$35,403 65	\$53,780 48	\$57,660 20	\$39,565 80	\$40,415 50

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEEDHAM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR 1935

During 1935 the Library has circulated seventy-eight thousand sixty-eight books (78,068), and many have been read on the premises. New novels, widely advertised, cause a demand for a short period that the ordinary Town Library cannot meet. The Trustees do not feel justified in duplicating copies to satisfy a long waiting list, otherwise they try to have the books desired by the community, or asked for by individuals.

We think that the leaks in the tower, which seriously damaged ceilings and walls at times, have been stopped. The improved lighting of the Children's Room was much needed, and is appreciated.

The Library has maintained its position in the educational system of the Town, and much time and thought has been given to co-operation with the Schools. We believe that the service in the Library has been efficient, and satisfactory to the people using it.

Respectfully submitted for the Trustees of the Needham Free Public Library.

GEORGE K. CLARKE,
Chairman.

NEEDHAM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I have the honor to submit my annual report for the year 1935.

Not long ago I came across a quotation which I think expresses the purpose of the Public Library very well. "Many have thought of the Library as a literary rather than a social institution. We must think of it, too, as a symbol of democracy and an equalizer of educational opportunity."

Let us see how, in what ways, and with what success our Public Library tried to be a symbol of democracy and an equalizer of educational opportunity in the year that has just closed.

One of the important functions of any Public Library is to make itself known, to let people become aware of the opportunities it holds out to them. For this reason, I write a weekly column of Library news for the *Needham Times*, and occasional pieces for the *Needham Chronicle*. For this reason, also, I undertook book talks before various organizations. During 1935 talks were given to the Girl Scout Service Troop in February; to the Junior Woman's Club on November 12th; and to the Junior Guild of Christ Church on October 23rd. For this reason, also the Bulletin of New Books was continued through the year, four numbers being issued.

The two factors of outstanding importance in a Public Library are: (1) the book collection and (2) the Library Staff. Neither is adequate without the other. A good combination of the two make a good Library. During the year, the Library Staff, in order to keep themselves informed of developments in the Library field, and in order to increase their usefulness, have attended various professional meetings. I have attended all these I mention, and various staff members have gone with me on occasion: Charles River Library Club meetings at Framingham March 12th; Needham, May 14th; Waltham, October 29th. The Children's Librarians' Round Table of Boston on March 14th, October 18th, and November 7th. The Massachusetts Library Club at Northampton on May 31st. First

Greater Boston Conference on Adult Education of December 10th at the Copley Plaza. The greater part of these meetings came in the morning, and we attended on our own time.

There was much coming and going on the staff during the year, which is not in itself a desirable thing in its effect on the work. Miss Esther Baker resigned in April to take a position with the Massachusetts Division of Public Libraries. Mrs. Olive R. Hansen had a leave of absence from April 1st to September 1st, and Miss Dorothy S. Evans was on the Staff during that time. Mrs. Elinor Hollis Field returned to the Staff after two year's absence to succeed Miss Baker.

One of the important ways that the Public Library can be an equalizer of opportunity is in its work with the public schools. Many families are unable to purchase books for the children to read, so that the schools and the Library provide, and must continue to provide books. For this reason it is a pleasure and privilege for the Public Library to co-operate in every possible way with the schools, in furnishing class-room libraries wherever possible, and in helping the children who come to the Library find the information needed to carry on their school assignments, and the books they choose for pleasure reading. During 1935 Library books were loaned in the following schools: Dwight, Eliot, Riverside, Harris and Stephen Palmer.

The equipment and building have been kept in repair. In the summer months the tower was made water-proof. The lampshades on the Charging Desk have been renewed. We have been able to obtain drapes for the Reading Rooms and Board Room. A new book case has been placed in the Children's Room in order to provide more shelving and relieve the over-crowded condition.

Since the first Federal relief work went into effect, in the winter of 1933-34, the Library has co-operated with the Town administrator in having workers on projects. The ERA of the first part of 1935 became WPA on December 1st. Two women workers have been mending and repairing books constantly.

Many adults are finding the Public Library an equalizer of opportunity — a chance to fill in educational gaps, a chance to keep on educating themselves in a rapidly changing world. We have many adults taking extension courses of one kind or another, many others pursuing interests of their own independently. Our practice is to try to borrow non-fiction for this group, if we do not have it ourselves. We received 245 requests on Inter-Library Loan, and were able to fill 138 of them.

The Library showed various exhibits during the year. Early in March the art work of the students of Mrs. Gladys Whittemore Huening was shown. During Book Week, in November, an exhibit of marionettes was arranged. The Animal Rescue League gave us a marionette show, "Peter Rabbit." With the co-operation of manager of the movie theatre, Mr. J. F. Lynch, a movie based on a book was shown, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

One of the needs becoming more pressing all the time is for a Young People's Library. This would be for the use of the teen age, who find the books in the Children's Room too juvenile, and find the adult stacks bewildering. Many of the books that adults enjoy and should have, are unsuitable for minds not fully developed. A collection selected just for the teen age would be very much used.

In the ten-year period, 1925 to 1935, I find that the book circulation is 19 per cent higher in 1935 than in 1925. On the other hand, the fund spent on books and periodicals is just about the same, \$1,400. The constant cry the Staff hears from our readers is for more new books, for several copies of the new books most in demand, so that the period of waiting can be shortened. Until our book fund is increased, we can do no better than we are doing now.

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

The year 1935 saw a slight increase in our total book circulation, contrary to the reports from the country as a whole. We feel this an indication that the Library has an established position in Needham, and a mandate that it continue the effort to meet the needs of this growing community.

I wish to express my appreciation of the support and loyalty to the Library shown by the Library Trustees, and the Library Staff.

The statistical report follows:

Library Statistics

Days Library was open	302
Total Circulation (Main Library and Deposit Stations)	78,068
Books borrowed on Inter-Library Loan	138
Registration of borrowers	867
Fines collected	\$349 91
Reserve cards mailed	1,896
Overdue notices sent	1,614
Total circulation of magazines from Main Library	4,967
Total Juvenile circulation from Main Library	25,203

Accessions

Books added by purchase	943
Books added by gift	25
Books added by State	1

Total gain	969
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Books withdrawn:

Worn out	64
Contagious disease in home	18
Lost by schools	32
Third notices	20
Lost in inventory	28

Total loss	162
Net gain	807

TEN-YEAR PERIOD, 1925-1935

	Book Circulation	Appropriations for Books and Magazines
1925	48,314	\$1,447 03
1926	52,106	1,814 53
1927	51,258	2,289 91
1928	61,826	1,624 08
1929	66,522	2,248 75
1930	68,942	1,836 28
1931	77,536	1,862 96
1932	80,674	1,598 90
1933	78,988	1,602 97
1934	77,796	1,450 53
1935	78,068	1,412 97

From this table it will be noted that comparing the book circulation in 1935 with 1925, it is 61 per cent greater. In comparing the money spent on books and magazines for these two years, it is \$35 less.

Circulation from Main Library by Classes

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
General Works.....	77	38	115
Philosophy.....	435	30	465
Religion.....	126	50	176
Sociology.....	1,003	1,243	2,246
Language.....	105	781	886
Science.....	542	710	1,252
Useful Arts.....	1,233	543	1,776
Fine Arts.....	1,220	377	1,597
Literature.....	2,316	847	3,163
History.....	1,439	650	2,089
Travel.....	1,207	413	1,620
Biography.....	2,365	481	2,846
Foreign Books.....	39		
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Total non-fiction.....	12,107	6,163	23,198
Fiction.....	32,968	17,598	50,566
Magazines.....	3,525	1,442	4,967
Total Circulation from Main Library.....			73,803

**Circulation from Schools where School Statistics
are kept individually**

The Harris School			
Adult books.....		447	
Juvenile books.....		1,078	
Magazines.....		48	
Total.....			1,573
The Eliot School.....			934
The Riverside School.....			1,325
Uncataloged books			
Non-fiction.....		147	
Fiction.....		286	

Respectfully submitted,

BARBARA ABBOTT,
Librarian.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

January 1, 1935 — December 31, 1935

Dwight School Fund.....		\$6,000 00
Income 1935.....	\$359 90	
Income for 1935 available of the benefit of the School Department in 1936.		
\$5,000 invested in first Mortgages in Real Estate in Needham.		
\$1,000 in Savings Department No. 15035 Norfolk County Trust Company.		
Mary Virginia Hill Fund	\$1,029 14	
Income 1935.....	32 39	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1127 Norfolk County Trust Company		
		\$1,061 53
Greenwood Fund Income.....		\$12,482 11
Income 1935.....	\$360 00	
Original Fund invested as follows:		
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, No. 791654		1,837 82
Suffolk Savings Bank, No. 18272		1,833 32
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, No. 42291		1,355 03
Newton Savings Bank, No. 23552		1,040 40
Home Savings Bank, No. 195315		1,191 76
West Newton Savings Bank, No. 4238		1,086 86
Dedham Institution for Savings, No. 24479		1,085 81
The Provident Institution for Savings, No. 602807		1,551 11
Norfolk County Trust Company, No. 13613		1,500 00
Income received in 1935 will be available in 1936 for the bene- fit of the Public Library.		
Martha Ann Barr Fund		500 00
Income 1935	\$9 37	
Income received in 1935 will be available in 1936 for the benefit of the Public Library.		
Savings Account in the Norfolk County Trust Company No. 4200.		
G. A. R. Fund — Cemetery.....		\$1,000 00
Income 1935.....	\$75 72	
Savings Account Needham National Bank No. 3262.		
Income 1933-1934, inclusive, turned over to the Cemetery Association for care of G. A. R. Lots.		
Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham.		
William G. Moseley, "Scholarship Fund"		
Original Bequest	\$3,000 00	
Additional Bequest	1,250 00	
		\$4,250 00
Income 1933.....	\$112 87	
Income 1934.....	142 71	
Income 1935.....	251 76	
	\$507 34	
Scholarship Award 1934-1935	400 00	
		\$107 34

On hand to be invested	\$650 00	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 3108, Needham National Bank.....		\$757 34
Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham.		
Mary E. Moseley "Bed"		
Original Bequest	\$3,000 00	
Additional Bequest	1,250 00	
		\$4,250 00
Income 1933.....	\$112 87	
Income 1934.....	148 81	
Income 1935.....	299 05	
	\$560 73	
On hand to be invested	250 00	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 3109, Needham National Bank.....		\$810 73
Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham.		
George E. Wye Fund	\$10,604 91	
Income 1935.....	334 62	
	\$10,939 53	
Transferred to Public Welfare Dept.	714 85	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 12254 Norfolk County Trust Company		\$10,224 68
William Carter Company Fund	\$8,649 34	
Income 1935.....	217 57	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 36, Needham National Bank		\$8,866 91
Horace A. Carter Fund	\$1,217 57	
Income 1935.....	30 61	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 583, Needham National Bank		\$1,248 18
Thomas Sutton Fund	\$1,147 07	
Income 1935.....	28 85	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 175, Needham National Bank		\$1,175 92
Building Fund	\$8,094 97	
Income 1935.....	203 63	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 37, Needham National Bank		\$8,298 60
Lyon Fund	\$6,186 97	
Income 1935.....	195 21	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 7545, Norfolk County Trust Company		\$6,382 18

Seth A. Fowle Fund	\$2,317 94	
Income 1935.....	58 28	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1369, Needham National Bank		\$2,376 22
Adelaine E. Harris Fund	\$118 12	
Income 1935.....	2 96	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1850, Needham National Bank		\$121 08
Elizabeth Fisher Fund	\$116 60	
Income 1935.....	2 92	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1848, Needham National Bank.....		\$119 52
William Wentworth Fund	\$59 00	
Income 1935.....	1 48	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1849, Needham National Bank		\$60 48
Lucy M. Cutter Fund	\$2,860 55	
Income 1935.....	71 95	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1649, Needham National Bank.....		\$2,932 50
Glover Fund.....	\$2,745 45	
Income 1935.....	69 05	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 1722, Needham National Bank.....		\$2,814 50
Building Fund	\$11,434 77	
Income 1935.....	360 70	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 4159, Norfolk County Trust Company		\$11,795 47

PRESTON MITCHELL,
ARNOLD MACKINTOSH,
AMOS H. SHEPHERDSON,
Commissioners of Trust Funds.

ANNUAL REPORT OF RECREATION COMMITTEE

Dec. 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen;

The Committee on Recreational Activities respectfully presents its report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1935.

Created as a new and permanent department at the 1935 Annual Town Meeting, our most important function has been the operation of the playgrounds previously sponsored by civic organizations. The playgrounds at the Avery School in Needham Heights and at Greene's Field in Needham, enjoyed a most successful seven-week season, with an average daily attendance of about 300 and a total attendance of over 10,000. Great credit is due the two Directors, Mr. Philip Claxton and Miss Ruth Burgess, and the co-operation of the School Department is greatly appreciated.

Because of the assistance of an ERA project, which supplied an excellent staff of instructors, it was necessary to employ only the two directors, and as a result it was possible to apply more funds to put the physical equipment in first-class condition; furthermore, over \$200 worth of permanent equipment was constructed by the ERA labor.

Requests have been received from two other sections of the Town (Bird's Hill and North Needham) for the establishment of at least elementary playgrounds; although this can otherwise not be done except through a larger appropriation than that voted in 1935, it is hoped that the continuation of the WPA will permit a start to be made in at least one other section during the coming season.

Not under the supervision of this Committee, but playing a very prominent part in the Town's recreational activities, were the excellent swimming facilities provided at Rosemary Beach by the Board of Trade, the skating, hockey and coasting, also at Rosemary Lake, provided under the benefits of the ERA, and the gymnasium classes for girls and women, in the school gymnasiums, likewise under the ERA.

The Committee feels that the time is at hand for our citizens to consider the acquisition or construction of public tennis courts, for which there is widespread and urgent demand from both young and old; we have asked co-operation in this matter by the Memorial Park Trustees, the School Committee, and the Planning Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. BURRAGE, *Chairman*,
HERBERT L. MOORE,
ARTHUR H. GODFREY,
BLANCHE S. WORTH,
ERNEST B. ALLEN,

By ROBERT H. BURRAGE.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TOWN REPORT

In accordance with the following vote:

"That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to advise with the several town departments, and subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to determine the general form and content of the next Annual Town Report"

the committee appointed by the Moderator has reviewed previous town reports and those of other towns and has consulted with the various town department heads with the view of suggesting changes which would improve and condense the next Annual Town Report.

With the approval of the Board of Selectmen the following suggestions have been made.

1. With the view of adding both attraction and information, it is suggested that the title page of the report carry a cut of the town hall and statistical information to include the population of the town, the 1935 assessed valuation and tax rate, and the December 31, 1935, bonded indebtedness.
2. That the use of eight-point rather than ten-point type in the text and in certain of the schedules included in the report would effect a saving in printing expense.
3. Since the Finance Committee report is distributed to the voters of the town and since the information contained therein is, in large part, a duplication of the Town Clerk's report, it is suggested that it be omitted.
4. That full title pages preceding particular committee reports be omitted.
5. Since a complete list of town officers appears in the front of the report it would appear unnecessary to have a list of officers precede departmental reports, and it is suggested that the same be omitted.
6. It is suggested that the telephone directory in the School Department report be omitted to save space.
7. It is suggested that wherever salary items appear in financial reports that the number of employees receiving such salaries be entered opposite the amount thereof.
8. It is suggested that the Police Department report include a condensed schedule, by major classification, of the number of arrests made during the year.
9. It is suggested that the report of the Town Accountant be condensed by including in a "miscellaneous" classification many of the small items of income and expense now shown in detail.
10. It was suggested that the Selectmen might combine the serving of the warrant with circulation of the Finance Committee report so as to eliminate present duplication.
11. It is suggested that, on page 203, the Town Accountant show the distribution of the tax rate for the current and prior year in comparative form.
12. We have noted many instances throughout the report where space could be saved by re-arrangement and by elimination of duplication.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
JAMES K. SANBORN,
DANA L. SOUTHWORTH,

Committee on Town Report.

REPORT OF PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — In accordance with Section 2, Chapter 189, of the Acts of 1932, I herewith submit the Annual Report of this Department. In addition to various reports submitted from time to time during the past year, separate detailed reports of all Departmental operations conducted under the control of the Board have been submitted by the various Division heads.

Persons desiring more complete details other than those contained herewith, may obtain the same from the Department.

The main accomplishments of the Department are briefly set forth as follows:

Engineering Division

Plans, surveys and estimates have been furnished to all divisions of the Public Works as well as other departments of the Town. Various information has also been furnished to architects, builders, property owners and others, relative to street lines, grades, by-laws, etc.

Considerable work has been accomplished in the preparation of Assessors' Plans, with the assistance of ERA. The Town should continue the regular appropriation of \$1,000 annually to complete this important work and to keep the plans up to date, by making such changes and additions as from time to time become necessary.

The Engineering Division has moved to larger quarters in the basement, thereby providing better working facilities for this Division as well as for the main office.

Forestry Division

A considerable amount of valuable work has been accomplished by this Division with the assistance of ERA. Tree trimming, surgery, and moth suppression have continued to be extensively carried on, thereby benefiting and protecting all Town shade trees bordering our highways.

Moth suppression on private lands was undertaken as usual and assessments have been levied on the various properties.

Highway Division

The usual maintenance work such as repairing fences, bridges, signs, cleaning streets and drains, caring for parks, and other necessary work has been accomplished.

A surface of 14.5 miles of Town roads have received bituminous treatment this year, 10.5 miles of which have been treated by the common method of flushcoating and sanding; 3.3 miles have been treated by the honing method, with gravel and tar mixed in place; 0.7 miles have been treated by the honing method with pea stone and tar mixed in place.

Dedham Avenue was resurfaced, from Lincoln Street to the intersection of Great Plain Avenue.

During the past year, many granolithic sidewalks have been repaired and bituminous walks have received surface treatment where needed.

No expenditure for new sidewalk construction was made from Town funds during the past year.

Under Chapter 464 (State Bond Issue) 1.2 miles (3,232 sq. yds.) of bituminous concrete walks have been constructed at no expense whatever to the Town. A balance of \$1,828.44 remains from the total of \$6,170.92 allotted to the Town. Work will continue when weather permits and it is hoped that an additional appropriation may be forthcoming to allow for further continuance of this type of relief work.

1.04 miles of Betterment Streets have been constructed. 880 feet were not completed, due to weather conditions and lack of ERA funds. This work will be completed in the spring under WPA with sufficient Town funds which are available for materials. Accordingly, betterment assessments on these streets were not levied on abutting properties this year.

The removal of snow and ice accomplished by road and sidewalk plowing, shoveling, carting and sanding, met with considerable difficulties during the season this year. To aid in preventing a reoccurrence of such difficulties, the Department has purchased five modern type plows for installation on new Town owned, two-ton trucks.

Three of the six old blade plows previously installed on heavy type privately owned trucks have been discarded. The remaining three have been rebuilt to conform to the more modern design. This has resulted in providing two additional pieces to our road plowing equipment.

The Town has been very carefully divided into nine districts for road plowing. There is a total of eleven pieces of equipment now available in the Department, providing two spare pieces, one of which has been assigned to plow in and around Needham Square and the other in Needham Heights Square as well as certain other streets where assistance may be needed.

Sewer Division

The usual maintenance work of cleaning, flushing, and repairing main sewers has been accomplished in the usual manner.

All construction work undertaken during this year was carried on under ERA. Sewer pipes have been installed in all streets constructed under the Betterment Act and only those lines which have been petitioned for have been connected for use. Some few petitions have been received this year and the cases given immediate attention.

A total of 0.7 miles of main sewers have been constructed this year and 4,490 feet of connections have been installed to 88 houses.

Preliminary plans and estimates, specifications, etc., have been made for the installation of a pumping station on West Street. It is hoped to carry out the construction of this station under a federal relief project during the coming year.

Water Division

Following the recommendations as previously outlined in a special report of the Committee on Water Supply, and also the recommendations of the previous Board of Water Commissioners, exhaustive tests have been made to determine the proper location for developing the future water supply.

The results of such tests determined the most favorable location to be on private property bordering Charles River Street near the Dover line. The land was purchased by the Town in accordance with the vote of the Town at the Special Town Meeting, October 28, 1935, and an appropriation made for the construction.

Plans, specifications and estimates have been drawn up and construction will begin in the near future with the assistance of WPA.

This Division has continued with the assistance of ERA to effect considerable improvement in our distribution system by replacing many feet of small pipe serving as mains with suitable size cast iron main pipe. A total of 1.2 miles have been laid this year, including extensions, to provide service in new developments, and 2,775 feet of house services were installed.

The usual maintenance work, operation of plant, repairs to station, supply, pumping equipment, mains, services, meters, etc., has been accomplished.

An addition to the Glancy Station was made this year for the purpose of housing water treatment equipment which commenced operation July 25, 1935. Recommendations from the State Department of Public Health were followed and it is believed that this treatment will effect considerable improvement of the water from this source.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Needham is situated $10\frac{1}{4}$ miles southeast of Boston; in latitude $42^{\circ}-16'-N.$ and in longitude, $17^{\circ}-14'-W.$ at an elevation above mean sea level of from 85' to 304'.

Population December 31, 1934	11,828	
Estimated Population December 31, 1935 ...	12,035	
Total Area of Town	12.75	sq. miles
Park Lands	15.4	acres
Water Lands	126	acres
Miles of Public Streets and Town Ways	51.66	
Miles of State Highways	6.00	
Miles of Private Ways Dedicated to Public Use.....	13.84	
Miles of other Private Ways	15.00	
Miles of Granolithic Walks	15.25	
Miles of Bituminous Walks	9.27	
Miles of Storm Water Drains	13.91	

Sewerage System: Gravity to South Metropolitan System

Miles of Sewer Mains	17.23	
Miles of Incompleted Sewers	3.19	
Total Miles of House Connections in use ...	8.47	
Possible number of House Connections to existing system	1,183	
Completed House Connections	676	
Partially Installed	24	
Cost of Mains	\$410,824	91
Bonded Debt		
1925 Issues at 4%	\$100,000	
1931 Issues at 5% $\frac{1}{2}$	18,000	
Total Bonded Debt.....	\$118,000	
Total Assessments Levied	213,566	49
Total Principal Received	171,013	69
Total Interest Charges Received	25,345	59
Transferred for Construction and Bond Payments	181,646	79
Cash on hand, December 31, 1935	14,712	49

Water Supply—from Wells

Mode of Supply—Pumping to Standpipes		
Total Pumping during 1935: From Station No. 1,		
Dedham Avenue (2 dug wells)	134,789,000	gallons
From Station No. 2, Great Plain Avenue		
(50-2" tubular wells)	166,029,000	gallons
Maximum Daily Consumption	1,251,000	gallons
Total Mains in Use	54.8	miles
Cost of Works	\$718,303	19
Bonded Debt	\$21,000	00
Total Expenditures, 1935.....	\$61,237	70
Total Receipts, 1935	\$59,297	28
Uncollected, December 31, 1935	\$7,068	89

PUBLIC WORKS EXPENDITURES OUT OF GENERAL FUNDS

Classification of Work

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
Administration				\$2,550 00	\$4,599 06
Engineering	\$4,180 26	\$4,228 43	\$3,346 04	3,293 07	2,782 56
Tree Trimming and Surgery	1,499 79	2,194 22	1,175 93	1,084 08	1,826 95
Moth Suppression (Public)	3,497 79	3,500 62	2,060 29	3,350 95	1,623 40
Tree Nursery	91 00	71 54		50 00	
Highways	103,361 85	71,012 87	36,438 12	31,256 26	27,853 20
Sidewalk Maintenance	6,453 20	11,503 01	6,747 69	6,439 41	1,000 00
Sidewalk Betterments				60 59	
Street Lighting	24,556 53	25,101 17	23,253 84	21,537 72	21,481 96
Snow Removal	10,507 88	6,622 57	8,269 11	9,000 C0	9,986 81
Park Maintenance	4,197 00	4,240 84	119 10	251 12	497 78
Sewer Maintenance	4,720 52	4,842 60	3,781 13	4,817 10	3,243 69
Water Maintenance	40,180 02	43,779 82	35,469 69	*48,915 35	*43,149 35
Water Construction	14,892 32	22,619 88	13,330 52	10,073 23	18,088 35
ERA					†10,562 36
Equipment Maintenance					†3,768 16
Total	\$218,138 16	\$199,717 57	\$133,991 46	\$142,678 88	\$150,463 63

*Including \$7,000 paid on Long Term Bonds.

†All Divisions except Water.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF BOND ISSUE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT PROJECTS AND OTHERS

Classification of Work	Expenditures		Receipts	
	Appropriations	Balance		
Sewer House Connection	\$5,000 00	\$1,005 81	\$2,770 36	
Sewer Construction	13,097 62	1,345 11	14,712 49	
Moth Suppression (Private)	1,000 00	584 55	326 24	
Street Betterment	14,343 00	490 34	12,524 14	
Sidewalk Betterment			510 61	
Needham Gardens Water Mains		1,968 19		
Fairfield Street Water Mains		670 06		
Chapter 464 — Bond Issue — State Grant	6,170 92	1,828 44		
Totals	\$39,611 54	\$7,892 50		\$30,843 84

Conclusion

With the exception of strictly departmental maintenance operations, a considerable amount of the construction work undertaken this year has been carried on in conjunction with ERA and WPA. The Federal Government has paid to relief labor on all Town projects a total of \$158,146.71 during the past year.

ERA was a governmental process whereby monthly allotments were made to municipalities to be expended on certain types of projects approved by the government for the purpose of providing relief to the unemployed.

The WPA program is similar to ERA with the following exceptions: —

Labor previously assigned to work, on such approved projects, by the local administrator who was vested with the authority to determine the budget requirements of the worker, is now under the control of District Offices located in Boston.

Workers are paid on a semi-monthly basis rather than weekly.

Compensation to workers is now based on fixed monthly rates regardless of budgetary requirements, instead of a determined number of hours per week at fixed rates according to the needs of the worker.

Total payments from Federal Funds under WPA must not exceed the amount allocated to the Project. Projects are approved to provide for allowed quotas. Under ERA these limits were controlled by monthly allotments regardless of projects.

Your Superintendant has endeavored to carry out the requirements for continuing this program under WPA by acting as contact man between the sponsors of the Town and the Federal Government.

The regular employees of the Public Works Department have been reduced in number from forty to thirty-one persons since 1932. Nevertheless the efficiency of this Department has not been impaired during this time, due to the conscientious work and co-operation of all the employees.

In closing, we wish to thank all other heads of Town Departments, as well as the citizens of the Town, for their co-operation and guidance extended to those of the Public Works Department.

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER C. HOLLIS,

Superintendent of Public Works.

JURY LIST 1936

Frederick Alexander	Supervisor	93 Hillside Avenue
Leonard Thomas Baer	Collector	16 Laurel Drive
David W. Barrett	Mason	35 Avery Street
Edwin F. Beck	Bookkeeper	701 Webster Street
Arthur H. Birkett	Salesman	23 Gordon Road
Henry D. Blackman	Painter	45 Greenwood Avenue
John G. Bliss	Artist	50 Stevens Road
Allston R. Bowers	Insurance	1134 Great Plain Avenue
Ralph Bowers	Salesman	19 Emerson Road
Burton J. Bowmar	Manager	1404 Highland Avenue
George F. Brant	Salesman	16 Gage Street
Paul N. Britt	Clerk	1659 Great Plain Avenue
Everett Brooks	Carpenter	29 Manning Street
Walter A. Brown	Painter	60 Dedham Avenue
I. Tucker Burr, Jr.	Broker	741 Chestnut Street
Martin R. Bush	Manager	1297 Great Plain Avenue
Edgar A. Butters	Salesman	124 Marked Tree Road
Paul C. Cabot	Banker	653 Chestnut Street
Irving B. Calhoun	Machinist	33 Norfolk Street
William S. Cassidy	Foreman	1394 Circumferential High'y
Walter B. Chaffin	Carpenter	37 Fairview Road
Edgar H. Chandler	Supervisor	42 Ingleside Road
Kenneth M. Childs	Production Mgr.	166 Melrose Avenue
Harold B. Church	Trucking	238 Harris Avenue
Daniel L. Comiskey	Contractor	64 High Rock Street
Edward E. Croscup, Jr.	Salesman	385 Manning Street
Thomas J. Crossman	Grocer	193 Warren Street
George G. Davis	Executive	341 Nehoiden Street
Frank P. Davis	Banker	348 West Street
George F. Day	Machinist	142 Marked Tree Road
Charles M. Donahue	Grocer	53 Marshall Street
Fred L. Donahue	Book Seller	41 Kimball Street
George R. Donovan	Asst. Embalmer	115 Marked Tree Road
Chester W. Eaton	Undertaker	1351 Highland Avenue
Raymond D. Fales	Salesman	26 Lawton Road
James A. Fitzgerald	Chauffeur	162 Nehoiden Street
Frank L. Flood	Civil Engineer	44 Stevens Road
Leon Forand	Electrician	69 School Street
Walter C. Gartner	Civil Engineer	131 Fair Oaks Park
Oman F. Gilroy	Banker	365 Warren Street
Donald S. Hamilton	Clerk	64 Marshall Street
Alfred P. Hartshorn	Printer	137 Central Avenue
Floyd G. Hatch	Salesman	46 Walnut Street
Rolla E. Healey	Retired	59 Henderson Street
Francis C. Hersey	Treasurer	277 Harris Avenue
Freeland L. Huston	Diamond Broker	100 Warren Street
George E. Irving	Inspector	37 Henderson Street

Arthur G. Johnson	Salesman	369 Manning Street
Bertram G. Johnston	Insurance	189 Harris Avenue
Robert H. Kaymes	Clerk	154 Warren Street
John D. Keim	Technician	349 Warren Street
Clifford W. Kilmer	Manager	642 Webster Street
Samuel Kingsbury	Retired	15 Otis Street
Ray E. Kinne	Druggist	159 Dedham Avenue
T. Wallace Lawlor	Salesman	190 Lindbergh Avenue
William F. Leach	Manager	821 Webster Street
John H. Leader	Salesman	114 Beaufort Avenue
Paul H. Linscott	Insurance Agent	378 Manning Street
Walter E. Lovering	Draftsman	20 Marked Tree Road
R. Douglas Lowden	Tree Surgeon	1274 Great Plain Avenue
Eric W. Malmstrom	Real Estate	37 Gage Street
George A. Messinger	Salesman	137 Hawthorn Avenue
Carleton D. Morse	Investment Broker	542 High Rock Street
William P. McEvoy	Optician	61 Bradford Street
Carleton G. McIntosh	Real Estate	169 Marked Tree Road
Frank A. McIntosh	Ice Dealer	1374 Great Plain Avenue
Alexander McKay	Clerk	21 Pine Grove Street
Walter H. Mills	Salesman	71 Mayo Avenue
Herbert N. Mitchell	Cashier	1217 Great Plain Avenue
Arthur H. Moore	Inspector	252 Manning Street
John B. Moseley	Landscaping Arch.	68 Kingsbury Street
Frederick L. Murray	Engineer	6 Charles River Street
George W. Neale	Clerk	60 Maple Street
Carl E. Nelson	Picture Framer	18 Garden Street
Paul U. Nickerson	Civil Engineer	67 Rybury Hillway
George H. Noyes	Florist	6 Mark Lee Road
Nicholas A. O'Brien	Manager	74 Henderson Street
Scott W. Orr	Civil Engineer	78 Coolidge Avenue
Ernest H. Osgood	Banking	29 Thornton Road
Russell S. Page	Real Estate	613 Great Plain Avenue
Ernest E. Parker	Mechanic	506 High Rock Street
Howard S. Patton	Salesman	18 May Street
Leo R. Peare	Engineer	96 Greendale Avenue
Harold M. Pierce	Carpenter	29 Moseley Avenue
William F. Plummer	Druggist	122 Harris Avenue
Walter K. Queen	Manufacturer	122 Alfreton Road
Allston W. Richardson	Conductor	1189 Great Plain Avenue
Earl W. Richwagen	Insurance	26 Pleasant Street
Robert L. Rimmele	Clerk	1177 Central Avenue
Frank W. Rugg	Manager	1227 Great Plain Avenue
James F. Ryan	Carpenter	687 Highland Avenue
Harry C. Ryerson	Salesman	12 Coulton Park
James L. Salamone	Barber	44 Pleasant Street
Thomas A. Salomey	Manager	694 Great Plain Avenue
Frank C. Sanders	Superintendent	738 Great Plain Avenue
Henry W. Shugg, Jr.	Insurance	793 Great Plain Avenue

Frank M. Slack	Clerk	15 Cleveland Road
Reginald Smith	Chauffeur	101 Lincoln Street
Gillis W. Stark	Machine Operator	88 High Street
Coria E. Stata	Builder	298 Webster Street
Sidney Stewart	Antique Dealer	190 Nehoiden Street
Thomas B. Taber	Electrician	31 Lawton Road
Robert M. Tappan	Treasurer	South Street
Owen A. Thomas	Salesman	246 Manning Street
Louis N. Tougas	Salesman	21 Stevens Road
Francis J. Thacker	Superintendent	168 Harris Avenue
F. Ernest Thorpe	Real Estate	57 Dedham Avenue
George R. Tuck	Electrician	60 Greendale Avenue
H. Howard Upham	Building Inspector	1019 Central Avenue
Charles S. Vorhees	Salesman	14 Gage Street
Harold R. Waining	Foreman	21 Manson Road
Orville G. Walker	Electrician	33 Lincoln Street
George R. Wein	Bank Manager	39 Pinewood Road
John L. Whittier	Clerk	178 Lindbergh Avenue
Paul H. Weitze	Salesman	33 Lawton Road
William E. Welch	Insurance	42 Gayland Road
Joseph P. Williams	Master Plumber	95 Fair Oaks Park
Thomas Willgoose	Machinist	10 Noyes Street
Fred C. Woodward	Manager	56 Green Street
J. Corwin Wright	Bank Clerk	893 Webster Street

SCHOOL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

To the Citizens of Needham:

Normal and satisfactory progress in the school system can be reported by your Committee. Our Superintendent, Dr. Harry A. Brown, is continuing his instructive work with the teaching staff and, while our school expenses are less than comparable towns, we believe that our school standing is steadily moving upward under his guidance.

The results shown by Mr. Newbury in the Junior High School have been very gratifying. The number of children failing of promotion to the Senior High School has been very materially reduced. These results may be partially attributed to the excellent discipline that now prevails in this school.

Our budget has been submitted for the ensuing year and there are two items to which we wish to call special attention.

In the matter of teachers' salaries we are asking for an increase, to take effect September 1st when our present teachers' contracts expire. This increase is based on equalizing the salaries paid by Needham with those paid by comparable towns in order to put them on a more even basis. We have already suffered loss from this inequality, and we are very apt to lose more of our best teachers, with a consequent dropping of our educational standing, if this is allowed to continue. This equalization increase will amount to about eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) in 1936 and in 1937 the salaries will be practically what they were in 1931. Inasmuch as business in general has been showing marked improvement, it is our belief that the additional amount recommended for this year is warranted if the Town desires to insure itself of its present educational advantages.

The sum asked for on school equipment is much larger than usual, and this is occasioned by an exceptionally large Sixth Grade which next year will enter the Junior High School, where more pupils will have to be taken care of than the school was designed for. This means more lockers, chairs, etc., and, therefore, accounts for the increase for this item in this year's budget.

At the suggestion of Mr. Jones, Superintendent of Public Buildings, we have installed automatic stokers in the Senior High, Junior High and the Stephen Palmer Schools, which schools consume about 75% of our fuel. The manufacturers of the stokers were willing to sell these to the Town on the basis of being paid out of savings. We believe that Mr. Jones's suggestion will result in savings to the Town of at least two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) per year.

The Committee is happy to report that we have received excellent co-operation from our principals and all of our teaching staff.

EDWARD SEAVER, *Chairman*,
MAURICE V. BROWN
MARION G. HALL,
ROLAND C. MARCH,
PERCY E. WYE,
GERTRUDE W. QUEEN.

STATISTICS OF ENROLLMENT

School	Grade	Enrollment Oct. 1, 1935
Senior High School	X	154
	XI	169
	XII	151
	PG	27
Total		501
Junior High School	VII	214
	VIII	200
	IX	182
Total		596
Emery Grover School	VI	167
Total		167
William Carter and Avery Schools.....	K	46
	I	57
	II	38
	III	49
	IV	46
	V	42
	VI	75
	Sp.	9
Total		362
Stephen Palmer School.....	K	83
	I	86
	II	87
	III	91
	IV	100
	V	75
Total		522
Harris School	K	31
	I	45
	II	36
	III	38
	IV	31
	V	32
Total		213
Eliot School	K	6
	I	11
	II	17
	III	19
	IV	24
	V	16
Total		93

School	Grade	Enrollment Oct. 1, 1935
Dwight School	I	7
	II	10
	III	10
	IV	7
	V	6
Total		<hr/> 40
Riverside School	K	8
	I	9
	II	4
Total		<hr/> 21
Total enrollment in all schools on October 1, 1935		2,515

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Needham:

I am submitting for your consideration my second annual report as superintendent of schools. This is the forty-third in the series of annual written reports concerning the schools of Needham.

Accompanying my report are reports of the principal of the Junior High School and the Principal of the Senior High School. I call your attention to these reports and the recommendations which they contain. I cordially endorse all these recommendations and I shall not repeat them.

Need For Equalization of Teachers' Salaries

My great concern at this time is the school budget and particularly that part of the budget which relates to salaries of teachers. Salaries in Needham are lower in almost all particulars than the salaries in almost all the other towns of the Boston suburban area. You asked me to present to you a report on salary statistics in which comparisons of our salaries with those in comparable towns in this section of the state are made. If it seems desirable to you, I should be pleased to present these facts to the representatives of Needham on the floor of the town meeting, and at the same time to present reasons why I believe it is desirable to equalize salaries in Needham with those in other comparable towns.

My chief recommendation, at this time, is that salaries of teachers in Needham be equalized with those of other towns in this section of the state. I believe that we cannot hope to hold a strong teaching staff in Needham unless this is done. I am convinced that the equalization of our teachers' salaries is the greatest educational need in Needham at the present time. I am gratified that you have adopted and presented to the Finance Committee a budget which provides a desirable equalization of salaries of teachers effective September 1, of this year. I sincerely hope that the Finance Committee and the representatives in town meeting may vote to appropriate the amount which you have requested for salaries.

Teachers' Meetings

I believe that parents of Needham are fortunate in the personnel of our teaching staff. I have worked chiefly, thus far, with the elementary school teachers. Last year, I held a series of teachers' meetings in which reading was discussed by teachers, principals, and superintendent. I gave some talks on the subject. A number of teachers gave talks in which they described what they were doing in the teaching of reading. Numerous

small groups held discussions in which there was an exchange of opinion and experience. I am convinced that out of all this came great improvement in the teaching of reading. At the beginning of this year, I felt that reading in all our schools was on a far higher plane than it had been at any time during the past year.

I believe that reading is a very important subject. A person who acquires the ability and desire to read well can go far in educating himself. In the lower grades an attempt is made to teach in such a way that certain habits which are fundamental in effective reading are developed. A mastery of the mechanics of reading is sought to the end that effective oral and silent reading may result. Economical and effective study ability is sought as the essential basis of scholarship. Permanent interests in reading constitute an important objective to the end that pupils may develop a discriminating taste in terms of which they will read newspapers, magazines and good literature. Appreciation of literature is one of the most important objectives of modern education. An attempt is made in reading to teach economical and effective use of books in order that pupils may know how to use the library and other helps in securing information. These aims constitute the objectives of our teaching of reading.

In the middle and upper grades, reading ability as a phase of study ability is given a great deal of attention. It is our belief that definite training in silent reading from the standpoint of study ability is greatly needed. We believe that study of all the content subjects may be made a means for training in study ability through silent reading. In all the upper grades, three kinds of reading are emphasized: (a) interpretive oral reading of literature; (b) silent reading for purposes of appreciation and development of taste; (c) silent reading for information and study purposes.

Our teachers' meetings, last year, were devoted to developing these concepts of reading. Teachers meetings have continued this year and reading has been further stressed. Attention has been given to handwriting, spelling, language, activity as a basis for learning and various phases of the technique of teaching in the upper grades. It is the plan, a little later in the year when the advanced kindergarten groups begin reading at the middle of the year, to reconsider various problems in teaching reading with the kindergarten and lower grade teachers.

Beginnings of Curriculum Development

This year I have encouraged each teacher to attempt to do some one thing better than she has ever done it before and it is my plan during the latter part of the year to center the teacher's meetings around reports by the different teachers concerning the results which they have secured and the procedures in teaching which they have used. It is my hope that this may be the beginning of the development of a course of study. Ideas concerning the curriculum have changed a great deal in the last decade. A good many years ago the curriculum of a school system consisted of a fixed outline of work which all teachers would follow with the result that a stereotyped uniformity would be found throughout the school system. Pages in textbooks written by college professors constituted the outline of work. At a later time, courses of study were prepared by outside experts and given to teachers to follow. A better procedure has been followed in recent years in which teachers themselves worked out the course of study under the guidance of principals, supervisors, and superintendent. That idea has extended in recent years and now in many of the best school systems in the country the curriculum is in a constant process of remaking by the teachers, under guidance of supervisors. It is always improving and always growing better and better as teachers grow in their conception of the educative process and acquire a wider and wider cultural background by study, travel and other experiences which contribute to their growth and development.

It is my idea that in encouraging each teacher to discover some way to do some one thing better than she has ever done it before and to report her results and discuss her procedures before the other teachers, a curriculum may be in the process of making. I hope that within a year we may have a tentative outline to present to you for your approval, which has been made as a joint enterprise of teachers, principals, and superintendent. I think I should report to you frequently concerning our aims and how we are seeking to attain them and present to you at least annually for your information and approval an outline of what we have accomplished together with a statement of what we have in mind in the way of objectives and procedures.

All school work, no matter how perfect it may be with reference to present needs, should be constantly revitalized by study and experience. Better and better content for the work of the schoolroom to the end that the education of children may be ever better should be constantly in the process of making. Education needs to become more and more a process of vital and significant living rather than exclusively memorization of facts and information. The latter are important as a basis for study and learning, but they are not the sole ends of education. I should like to begin a five-year project of curriculum development in our schools, keeping you acquainted with its progress at all times and seeking your approval for every next-step as we go forward into better procedures in teaching.

Appreciation of Teachers

In the year and a half during which I have been associated with the schools of Needham, I have become well acquainted with our teaching staff. They have worked hard and well toward the end of better education for the children of Needham. They have been most co-operative in every particular in the joint enterprise of public education in Needham. I have learned a great deal in my discussions with them. I am convinced that the personnel of our teaching staff rates very high in comparison with similar groups in other towns and cities. I think it would be a great calamity if a large number of our teachers should be taken away from us by more attractive salaries in other surrounding towns. I believe that such a result is inevitable if our salaries continue to remain almost the lowest among the towns of the suburban area of Boston. It is with that fact in mind that I again urge that the Town take immediate steps to equalize teacher's salaries in Needham so that these salaries may compare favorably with those in other comparable towns.

Conclusion

I wish to express deep appreciation to all members of the School Committee for all the courtesies which you have extended to me during the past year. My associations with you have been in the highest degree pleasant. I feel that I have learned a great deal from you during the year. I have attempted to be worthy of the confidence which you have placed in me. My relationships with the people of Needham have been likewise most pleasant and agreeable. I feel that under these conditions the future holds great possibilities for the development of an exceptionally excellent school system in Needham. I wish to express my gratitude to all who have co-operated during the past year in the administration and supervision of the school system of the Town of Needham.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY A. BROWN,

Superintendent of Schools.

December 31, 1935.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

*Dr. Harry A. Brown,
Superintendent of Schools,
Needham, Massachusetts.*

Dear Sir:—I herewith submit my annual report as Principal of the Needham Senior High School.

The Class of 1935

On Thursday, June 20, the Class of 1935, numbering 129, graduated. It was an outstanding class in many ways. The central theme of the exercises was the tercentenary celebration of the founding of secondary education in this country.

College Education

Graduates of the school entered the following collegiate institutions in September of this year, either on the basis of College Entrance Board Examinations or by certificate: Dartmouth, State Teachers' College at Bridgewater, Mount Holyoke, Smith, Northeastern University, University of California, Massachusetts School of Art, Boston University, Oberlin College, University of Maine, Ohio-Wesleyan, Simmons, William and Mary, Wellesley, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Wheaton.

Success of Our Graduates in College

College publicity departments have notified us during the past year of the splendid scholastic achievements of our graduates. I refer to colleges such as Brown, Dartmouth, The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, The Worcester Institute of Technology, Wellesley and Yale. Many of our young people have also made enviable records in the fields of extra-curricular activities which indicates to us that they received a well-rounded education while under our jurisdiction.

Achievements in Athletics

Athletically, the school has had a very successful year. The hockey and wrestling teams won the championship in their respective leagues. The field hockey, track and football teams, respectively, have maintained splendid records through their respective seasons. This success was due in a large measure to the coaches who gave generously of their time and energy to the young people who came under their instruction. Messrs. Claxton, DeFazio, Small and Miss Rowe deserve much praise for the results obtained.

Student Wins Prize in National Contest

A signal honor came to our school this year when Sinclair Locke, who had previously won the State Contest, was awarded second prize in the National Poppy Poster Contest at the American Legion Convention in St. Louis. This contest was sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion.

American Legion Essay Contest

The American Legion, Needham Post No. 14, promoted an essay contest in our school during the month of May. The subject of the essay was: "The Good American in His Own Community." From the several hundred essays submitted Andrew Rosenberger's was selected by the judges as the best. He received a good medal as a reward of his efforts. Elinor Bowker was awarded the second prize, a silver medal. The following pupils received honorable mention: Paul Bassett, William Biggart, and George Toney.

New Moving Picture Machine

This year the Student Activity Association purchased a new 16 mm. Victor projector and paid fees which made it possible for us to show to the student body the famous Chronicles of American pictures, and also a number of splendid educational films. We expect to do a creditable piece of work in the field of visual education before the school year is over.

Monthly Broadcasts

We greatly appreciate the fact that it is possible to offer pupils an opportunity to go on the air this year. Arrangements have been made with Station WNAC whereby it will be possible for a group of our pupils to broadcast a one-act play every month, beginning with December of this year. This, I feel, will be a valuable experience for those who are privileged to participate in the work.

Need for Additional Equipment

Our commercial department which, during the last two years, has been much larger than usual, is greatly handicapped because it lacks the necessary office equipment to carry on its work efficiently. The department should be brought up-to-date in this respect. This can be done by equipping our so-called "Office Practice Room," which is now devoid of machines, with such equipment as I have asked for on several occasions in the past.

We should increase our offerings in the practical and fine arts, respectively, if we plan to keep abreast of the times educationally. To be sure, such things cost money, but a progressive community, if it wants progressive education, should be willing and ready to pay for it.

Salary Policy Results in Loss of Superior Teachers

It has been our misfortune this year to lose two especially fine teachers. I refer to Miss Ruth Appel, head of the English Department, and Miss Margaret Rowe, teacher of Physical Education for girls. Both of them were held in high esteem by all who were privileged to associate with them in any capacity. As principal, I regret very much their departure to other school systems because it means a distinct loss to our own school. However, so long as Needham persists in its present policy with reference to teachers' salaries, I shall not be surprised to see our capable teachers leave us, one by one, for new scenes of activity. I know that the teachers are very much dissatisfied with the salary situation as it now stands and that a number of my staff are planning to leave when the first opportunity presents itself. And if they go, the task of filling their places with capable and acceptable teachers will not be so easy as some people think. The woods may be full of candidates, but, as a rule, they are very mediocre from the point of view of what Needham expects of its teachers.

To teachers, and all who have helped in any way to carry on the work in the Senior High School, I give my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. POLLARD,
Principal.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

*Dr. Harry A. Brown,
Superintendent of Schools,
Needham, Massachusetts.*

Dear Sir: — It is indeed a pleasure to submit to you my second annual report as Principal of the Needham Junior High School.

Program of Studies

During the past year the program of studies in the ninth grade has been broadened to include a scientific course in preparation for colleges which confer the Bachelor of Science degree. In the general course general mathematics has been added to meet the demand for the needs of pupils who do not choose to elect algebra.

The School Newspaper

The addition of a school paper called the "Nee-Hi News" has stimulated the work of the pupils in the field of English. All departments within the school have co-operated to produce this paper of which we can be justly proud.

Awards

The members of the Class of 1935 participated in an essay contest sponsored by Needham Post No. 14 of the American Legion. Each student submitted an essay on "The Training of a Good Citizen." A bronze medal was awarded for the best essay written by a boy and by a girl. These prizes were won by Pauline Nichols and Roger Griffin. The following received honorable mention: Ross Annis, Phyllis Ford, George Kline, Elsie Praetsch, Marjorie Rugen, Suzanne Snider, Eleanor Webber, and Helen Wheeler.

The local American Legion Auxiliary awarded a prize to Norman Palmstom of two dollars and a half for the poster judged to be best in the Poppy Day Poster Contest. Elsie Praetsch received honorable mention.

The Needham Public Library presented two prizes for posters made for Book Week. These prizes were awarded to Ruth Anson and Thomas Maloney respectively. Jane Biggart and Lorna MacGray received honorable mention.

Physical Education

Miss E. Isabel MacKinnon and Mr. Mario S. DeFazio, our teachers of physical education, are conducting intra-mural leagues in their physical education classes. In this way many pupils are actively engaged in some form of competitive athletics. I am especially pleased with the activity of this department. I feel that the policy of athletics for all is an excellent one.

Student Activities Association

The response to the appeal of the Student Activities Association has been splendid. Approximately three-fourths of the student body are members of this organization which finances intra-mural and interscholastic athletics, provides special assemblies, and sponsors school dances. The balance of the S. A. A. as of December 1, 1935, is \$497.09. All bills contracted since September, 1934, have been paid.

Providing for Individual Differences

In the words of Dr. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago "The school has become the custodian of the child." Each year we get a large number of the mediocre type of pupil. We have many pupils sent on to

us from the elementary schools because socially they no longer belong in the sixth grade. These pupils should be given an opportunity to work in the fields of mechanical arts and home economics. As our school now stands we offer very little for the slow-moving child who attends school mainly because he cannot find some means of employment. Evidently providing school work for the slow child has become an opportunity which we must accept in a time of industrial depression. As "Nothing succeeds like success," these pupils of limited ability should be given work which they can do with reasonable success. Our curriculum should be revised to include work for the slow-moving pupils along the lines of general shop work and home economics. We must eventually come to this if we are to meet the needs of our pupils.

Overcrowded Conditions

In view of the fact that we anticipate an increase in enrollment I am going to devote the major portion of my report to the problems which will come from an overcrowded school. I think it safe to assume the enrollment in the Junior High School in September, 1936, will be approximately six hundred and seventy pupils. This large number may make it necessary for us to use the manual training room and the foods laboratory as home rooms. We may also be forced to use these rooms and the lunchroom for study purposes. The room now used as a library will have to be used temporarily as a classroom.

At present we have three separate lunch periods daily. Our lunchroom presents a trying situation because we are constantly pressed for room. During the past year it has been difficult to accommodate two hundred and fifteen pupils in the seventh grade lunch period. Next September we are faced with the problem of seating approximately two hundred and forty-five pupils during the seventh grade lunch period. These crowded conditions present a hard situation which will be difficult to administer efficiently.

At the beginning of the school year the three hundred outside lockers were occupied by our school enrollment of six hundred. Each locker takes care of the belongings of two pupils. It is practically impossible to assign more than two pupils to a locker. Due to the increase in the number of pupils in the incoming class we will need thirty-five outside lockers. Every boy should have a locker of his own for his gymnasium equipment. Owing to the fact that we will have more boys than lockers it will be necessary in many instances to assign two boys to a locker. This situation is not a healthy one; forty additional lockers will be needed to carry on the work of the physical education department.

There are nineteen divisions in all grades; seven seventh-grade divisions, six divisions in the eighth grade, and six in the ninth. The school with the number of rooms it now has cannot function well with any more than nineteen divisions. The additional enrollment will mean larger classes, a heavier teaching load, and crowded classrooms. Most of our classrooms seat thirty-five pupils. By the use of tablet arm chairs we can increase the seating capacity to thirty-seven.

I wish to express my appreciation for the co-operation of pupils, parents, teachers and the School Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. NEWBURY,

Principal.

**ORGANIZATION
December 31, 1935**

NAME AND GRADE		Service Began	EDUCATED		Years Experience Previous to Sept., 1935
<i>Supervisors</i>					
Philip H. Claxton, Physical Education.....		1929	Springfield-E. Stroudsburg-State Teachers' College-Boston Univ. †		10
Ellen H. Bartlett, Music		1904	Special Music Schools-Boston Univ. †		42
Marie C. Relli, Art		1930	Mass. School of Art		8
<i>Senior High School</i>					
William F. Pollard, Principal		1927	Middlebury-Harvard Univt.		22
Fred L. Frost		1919	Lebanon-Columbia-Harvard Univ.		21
Charles E. Benton		1926	Harvard-Northeastern-Boston Univ.		11
Asa M. Small		1927	Bowdoin-Northeastern-Boston Univ.		10
Alfred H. Johnson		1923	Sloyd Training-Boston Univ. *		13
Mary W. Matheson		1924	Bridgewater-Boston Univ.		21
Leita L. Sawyer		1924	Boston Univ.-Boston Univ. *		17
Eva H. Churchill		1920	Emerson-Boston Univ. †		20
Annie M. Currie		1920	Tufts-Boston Univ. *-Harvard *		22
Florence E. Durgin		1922	Plymouth-Boston Univ.-Univ. Calif. *		18
Alice C. Gates		1924	Fitchburg Normal-Boston Univ.		19
Anna P. Fessenden		1926	Smith College-Univ. of Minnesota		17
Ruth C. Harrington		1926	Boston Univ. *-Harvard-Middlebury		19
Gertrude Lewis		1929	Simmons College-Boston Univ.		13 1/2
Alice C. Erickson		1933	Framingham Teachers' College		3
Catherine E. Dodge		1925	Univ. N. H.-Boston Univ.-Cornell *		11
Louise L. Steele		1926	Colby-Harvard Univ.		12
Margaret A. Guthrie		1931	New York Univ.-Columbia †-Harvard *		22
Margaret Rowe (Resigned)					
<i>Junior High School</i>					
Robert J. Newbury, Principal		1930	Bridgewater Normal-Wesleyan †-Yale *-Boston Univ.		8 1/2

Bertha E. Pugsley	1918	Emerson College	21
Esther Nickerson	1927	Hyannis Normal	24
Nellie T. O'Brien	1916	Framingham Normal	25
Edith R. Hatch	1923	Fitchburg Normal-Hyannis Normal*	14
Sylvia A. Collins	1925	Farmington Normal-Plymouth*-Keene*	25
Helene A. Goehring	1928	Fitchburg-Hyannis-Boston Univ.†	9
E. Isabel MacKinnon	1934	Bouve-Boston School of Phys. Ed.	3
John E. Nelson	1932	Williams College	5
Virginia Smith	1930	Boston University	6
Mary E. Dugan	1930	Fitchburg Normal-Boston Univ.†-Clark Univ.†-Hyannis Normal	9
Jerome C. Sisson	1928	Clarkson Tech.-Harvard-Boston Univ.†*	8
Milton C. Blanchard	1930	Wentworth-Boston Univ.†	6
Elizabeth J. Gilchrist	1932	Fitchburg Normal	4
R. Ashley Holt	1932	Springfield College	6
Doris Titcomb	1931	Amer. Inst. Normal Methods-N.E. Conservatory of Music	14
Ruth W. Bjork (Resigned)			
Adelaide D. Batz	1935	Univ. Nebraska-Wellesley	4
Doris A. Askew	1935	Antioch College-State Normal School Oswego, N.Y.-Columbia	5
Eleanor I. Duley	1935	Wheaton College-Radcliffe	2
Mabel R. Raguse	1935	North Adams Normal-Boston Univ.-Columbia	11
Margaret E. Zur Linden	1935	Ohio Univ.-Columbia	3
Mario S. DeFazio	1935	Penn. State College-Boston Univ.-Columbia	
<i>Emery Grover School</i>			
Gladys I. Gilbert, Principal	1925	Gorham Normal-Boston Univ.†	17
Mary E. Kett, Grade VI	1928	Hyannis Normal-Boston Univ.†	9
Alice E. Chase, Grade VI	1926	Framingham Normal-Boston Univ.†	12
Gladys A. Howarth, Grade VI	1929	Framingham Normal-Boston Univ.	8
<i>William Carter School</i>			
Benjamin J. Hill, Principal	1934	State Teachers' College-Boston Univ.*-Columbia*	5
Elizabeth L. Blanchard, Grade VI	1933	Salem Teachers' College	3
Alice M. Swenson, Grade VI	1935	Bridgewater Teachers' College	4

*Summer Courses. †Partial Courses.

ORGANIZATION—Continued

NAME AND GRADE	Service Began	EDUCATED	Years Experience Previous to Sept., 1935
<i>William Carter School</i>			
Grace E. Arnold, Grade V	1931	Salem Teachers' College	6
Elizabeth S. E. Cox, Grade V	1935	Whelock-Boston Univ.	4
Gertrude F. Devine, Grade IV	1931	Salem Teachers' College	5
Gladys V. Spear, Grade IV, III	1934	Framingham Teachers' College	7
Alice E. Hannon, Grade III	1934	Lowell Normal	5
Lois E. Baker, Grade II	1931	Westfield Normal	8
Margaret E. Richardson, Special	1934	Salem Teachers' College	2
<i>Avery School</i>			
Ruth M. Thomas, Grade II	1933	Framingham Teachers' College	6
Harriette N. Boyd, Grade I	1903	Newburyport-Harvard Univ.†	39
Clara A. Dray, Grade 1	1925	Perry-Boston Univ.—Hyannis	10
Cynthia M. Gregory, Kindergarten	1934	Whelock-R. I. College of Education	8
<i>Stephen Palmer School</i>			
Florence E. Eaton, Principal	1889	Hyannis*—Harvard*	46
Mary G. Childs, Grade VI	1935	Bridgewater Teachers' College	4
Bertha I. Johnson, Grade V	1918	Castleton (Vt.) Normal	24
Laura E. Miller, Grade V	1930	Pittsburgh Normal	13
Margaret M. Wilcock, Grade V	1930	No. Adams Normal-Bridgewater-Boston Univ.*	6
Wilma F. Mayo, Grade IV	1927	Castine (Me.) Normal-Boston Univ.	16
Esther H. Cornish, Grade IV	1930	Bridgewater Teachers' College	7
Marion A. Wagner, Grade IV	1935	Leslie Normal-Sargent	12
Gladys Johnson, Grade III	1924	Edinboro-Teachers' College†	6
Edith A. Chase, Grade III	1931	Framingham Normal	6
Grace U. Barlow, Grade III	1931	Westfield Normal	17
Madolin F. Wilcox, Grade II	1919	Farmington (Me.)—Hyannis*—Boston Univ.*	

Mabel E. Jacobs, Grade II	1919	Wheelock-Worcester Normal†	20
Jane B. Doughty, Grade II	1919	Bridgewater-Hyannis*-Boston Univ.*	17
Edith B. Smith, Grade I	1930	Bridgewater Normal-Boston Univ.†	6
Florence E. Baker, Grade I	1929	Westfield Normal	7
H. Joan Dorr, Grade I	1935	Perry Normal-Boston Univ.	2
Alice M. McDougald, Kindergarten	1916	Fisher-Boston Univ.*	24
Jean E. Lamson, Kindergarten	1930	Wheelock	7
<i>Harris School</i>			
Rebecca H. Perry, Principal, Grade V	1924	Washington State Normal-Boston Univ.†	12
Anne S. Cornish, Grade IV	1928	Bridgewater Teachers' College	8
Alison T. Feast, Grade III	1935	Vermont Normal-McGill-Columbia	4
Ruth E. Jacobs, Grade II	1930	Hyannis Normal-Boston Univ.†	7
Helen C. Kelly, Grades I, II	1930	Framingham Normal-Boston Univ.†	6
Elizabeth B. Chadbourne, Grade I	1935	Wheelock-Boston Univ.	4
Elsie M. Hinkley, Kindergarten	1918	Framingham-M. A. C.*-Page Memorial*	22
<i>Eliot School</i>			
Alice H. Eberhardt, Principal, Grade V	1899	Hyannis Normal	39
Ann E. Fawcett, Grades III, IV	1919	Hyannis Normal-Mass. Normal Art	19
Lillian Prescott, Grades II, III	1921	Gorham (Me.) Normal	17
Margaret T. Winters, Kindergarten, Grade I	1926	Wheelock	10
<i>Dwight School</i>			
Alma A. Doliva, Principal, Grades III, IV, V	1934	State Teachers' College, Albany, N.Y.-Boston Univ.-Columbia..	6
M. Helen Fox, Grades I, II	1921	Wheelock	14½
<i>Riverside School</i>			
Edith M. McCann, Kindergarten, I, II	1908	Boston Univ.	27

*Summer Courses.

†Partial Courses.

I. PERSONNEL OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1936

A. School Committee

Name, Address and Telephone	Term Expires
Edward Seaver, <i>Chairman</i> 166 Fair Oaks Park; Needham 1359-W	1936
Marion G. Hall 23 Kingsbury Street; Needham 1458-M	1936
Percy E. Wye 67 Fair Oaks Park; Needham 1356	1937
Roland C. March 16 Manson Road; Needham 1671	1937
Maurice V. Brown 909 Webster Street; Needham 1022-M	1938
Gertrude W. Queen 47 Alfreton Road; Needham 0509	1938

B. Staff of General Control

Harry A. Brown, Superintendent of Schools, 70 May Street; Needham 0631.

George B. Jones, Superintendent of School Buildings, 18 Bird's Hill Avenue; Needham 1181-M.

Armand J. Mathey, Attendance Officer, 106 Warren Street; Needham 1041-M.

C. Clerical Staff

Edna F. Slaney, Clerk, Senior High School.

Priscilla M. Boyd, Clerk, Junior High School.

Blanche L. Hamilton, Secretary to Superintendent.

Riva Rossi, Stenographer.

D. Health Staff

Dr. Henry R. Gilbert, School Physician.

Dr. Kenneth Christophe, School Physician.

Ruth Carlson Smith, School Nurse.

E. School Calendar

1. All Schools

Fall Term	September 9 to December 20	15 weeks
Winter Term	January 2 to April 9	15 weeks
Spring Term	April 21 to June 12	8 weeks

2. No School Days

October 18 — Teachers' Convention.

November 11 — Armistice Day.

November 28 — Thanksgiving Day.

November 29 — Day after Thanksgiving Day.

1936-1937

Fall term, September 9 to December 18, 1936.

F. MEETINGS AND OFFICE HOURS**1. Meetings of School Committee**

Regular meetings of the School Committee are held on the First Tuesday of each month at 7:45 P.M., in the School Committee room in the Emery Grover School Building, 1330 Highland Avenue.

2. Superintendent of Schools

Office: Emery Grover School Building.

Office Hours: 3:30-4:30 P.M. on school days; 9:00-12:00 A.M. on Saturdays by appointment. Other hours by special appointment.

3. Secretary to Superintendent

Office: Emery Grover School Building.

Hours: 8:15 A.M. to 12:00 M., and 1:30 to 5:00 P.M., on school days; 9:00 to 12:00 M. on Saturdays.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT**Including School Budget for 1936**

Adopted by the School Committee on December 12, 1935,

**Revised on January 2, 1936, and Further Revised on
February 4 and 10, 1936**

	Actual Expenditures 1935	Proposed Expenditures 1936
<i>General Control</i>		
Salaries		
Superintendent of Schools, clerks, attendance officer	\$6,376 62	\$6,469 17
Supplies, printing, postage and sundry expense	1,068 09	1,128 00
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	\$7,444 71	\$7,597 17
<i>Instruction</i>		
Salaries		
Supervisors	6,080 00	8,108 00
Principals (and clerks)	12,099 00	13,321 00
Teachers	123,624 92	136,415 25
Substitutes	2,166 80	1,550 00
Tutors	236 00	250 00
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Total	\$144,206 72	\$159,644 25
Textbooks	4,973 32	5,000 00
Supplies	4,510 14	5,350 00
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	\$153,690 18	\$169,994 25
<i>Operating School Plant</i>		
Janitors' Salaries	17,044 81	17,216 20
Fuel	8,692 56*	8,000 00
Miscellaneous, including water, electricity, telephone, supplies and sundry expense .	6,503 37†	6,425 00
Use of buildings by outside organizations	500 00	500 00
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	\$32,740 74	\$32,141 20

*\$293.00 additional was spent for fuel, but it is charged to use of buildings by outside organizations.

†\$118.00 additional was spent for miscellaneous (water and electricity), but it is charged to use of buildings by outside organizations.

Maintenance

Repairs	\$6,832 20	\$5,550 00
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	\$6,832 20	\$5,550 00

Auxiliary Agencies

Libraries	55 66	100 00
Health, including salaries, travel, supplies and sundry expense.....	2,468 00	2,591 50
Transportation.....	6,293 25	6,500 00
Sundry	0 00	10 00
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	\$8,816 91	\$9,201 50

Miscellaneous Expenses

Tuition	218 08	275 00
Sundry expenses, including insurance, re- moval of ashes, commencement ex- penses	810 34	825 00
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	\$1,028 42	\$1,100 00

Outlays

New Buildings (fixtures)	43 50	100 00
New Grounds	18 00	100 00
New Equipment (educational)	612 36	2,500 00
New Equipment (stokers).....		3,908 70
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	\$673 86	\$6,608 70
Total Expenditures	211,227 02	
Balance in salaries	2,325 25	
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Totals	\$213,552 27	\$232,192 82

The total appropriation for 1935 was \$213,530 80
Net amount returned to town..... 2,303 78

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 20, 1936.

*To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Needham, Massachusetts.*

Gentlemen: — I present herewith my report as Treasurer of the Town of Needham for the year 1935.

Cash on hand, January 1, 1935	\$96,004 00
Receipts during the year 1935	1,327,882 49
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Expenditures, 1935	\$1,423,886 49
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Balance on Hand, January 1, 1936	\$116,997 97

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. STANWOOD,
Town Treasurer.

For details see report of Town Accountant.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

January 1, 1935, to January 1, 1936

1933 Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$3,670 12	
To balance not committed.....	578 00	
To interest	346 29	
		\$4,594 41

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer.....	\$3,482 06	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	346 29	
By abatement	100 46	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	665 60	
		\$4,594 41

1934 Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$262,960 47	
To interest	7,449 67	
		\$270,410 14

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer.....	\$217,433 64	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	7,449 67	
By abatement	2,165 07	
By transfer to Tax Title Account.....	42,568 45	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	793 31	
		\$270,410 14

1934 Poll Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$26 00	
To balance not committed.....	4 00	
		\$30 00

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer.....	\$20 00	
By abatement	10 00	
		\$30 00

1934 Excise Tax

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$2,008 06	
To interest	43 29	
		\$2,051 35

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer.....	\$1,783 28	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	43 29	
By abatement	224 78	
		\$2,051 35

1934 Sewer Assessments

(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$4,619 35	
To interest	5 85	
	<hr/>	\$4,625 20

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$317 44	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	5 85	
By apportionment	4,301 91	
	<hr/>	\$4,625 20

1934 Sewer House Connections

(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$3,774 50	
To interest	89	
	<hr/>	\$3,775 39

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$636 91	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	89	
By apportionment	3,137 59	
	<hr/>	\$3,775 39

1934 Betterment Assessments

(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$1,648 91	
	<hr/>	\$1,648 91

Cr.

By apportionment		\$1,648 91
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1934 Water Liens

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1935	\$1,871 78	
To balance not committed	10 85	
	<hr/>	\$1,882 63

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$763 25	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	1,105 38	
By balance not collected January 1, 1936	14 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,882 63

1935 Taxes

Dr.

To warrants committed	\$664,380 56	
To interest	384 63	
	<hr/>	\$664,765 19

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$454,328 86	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	384 63	
By abatement	5,457 76	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	28,936 47	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	175,657 47	
	<hr/>	\$664,765 19

1935 Poll Taxes

Dr.

To warrants committed	\$7,428 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,428 00

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$6,952 00	
By abatement	476 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,428 00

1935 Excise Tax

Dr.

To warrants committed	\$25,040 15	
To interest	53 59	
	<hr/>	\$25,093 74

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$20,637 95	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	53 59	
By abatement	1,061 35	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	3,340 85	
	<hr/>	\$25,093 74

1935 Sewer Assessments
(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To warrants committed		
		\$8,956 86

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$795 45	
By apportionment	3,525 30	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	4,636 11	
	<hr/>	\$8,956 86

1935 Sewer House Connections

(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To warrants committed		\$4,248 93
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Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$1,468 52	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	2,780 41	
	<hr/>	\$4,248 93

1935 Apportioned Assessments

(Paid in Advance)

Dr.

To warrants committed		\$1,586 10
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Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer		
Street Assessments	\$564 40	
Street Interest	4 34	
Sewer Assessments	877 76	
Sewer Interest	8 39	
Sewer House Connections	127 98	
Sewer Connections Interest	3 23	
	<hr/>	\$1,586 10

1935 Betterment Assessment

(Unapportioned)

Dr.

To warrants committed		\$34 22
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Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer		\$34 22
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1935 Water Liens

Dr.

To warrants committed	\$365 58	
	<hr/>	\$365 58

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$149 81	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1936	215 77	
	<hr/>	\$365 58

All Other Receipts

Dr.

To receipts from Tax Certificates	\$74 00	
To receipts from Demands and Charges	1,382 30	
	<hr/>	\$1,456 30

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$1,456 30	\$1,456 30
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1935 Appropriations and Expenditures

Appropriations	\$5,352 00	
Appropriated from Reserve Fund	109 25	
	<hr/>	\$5,461 25

Expenditures:

Salaries:		
Collector	\$2,210 00	
Clerk	1,105 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,315 00
Bond:		
Collector		466 00
Tax bills	\$98 51	
Cash books	41 92	
Stamps and envelopes	320 35	
Telephone	44 25	
Miscellaneous	57 97	
Typewriter	109 25	
	<hr/>	672 25
Tax Title Expenses	655 59	
	<hr/>	\$5,108 84
Balance		\$352 41

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY GODFREY,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Receipts and Expenditures for the Year Ending December 31, 1935

RECEIPTS

General Revenue:

Taxes for 1933 and 1934:

Poll	\$20 00
Personal	4,434 03
Real	207,822 44

\$212,276 47

Taxes for 1935:

Poll	\$6,952 00
Personal	41,224 22
Real	399,044 70

447,220 92

From State:

Income Tax	\$29,284 20
Income Tax Educational	9,200 00
State Valuation	11,261 51
Corporation Tax Business	11,809 14
Corporation Tax — Gas, Electric Light, Water Companies	1,835 00
Race Tracks Distribution	1,246 00
State Aid	330 00
Military Aid	232 50

65,198 35

Special Assessments:

Moth	\$253 18
Sidewalk	411 98
Street Betterments	9,157 41
Sewer Betterments	9,965 93
Motor Vehicle	22,431 23
Sewer House Connections	2,747 32

44,967 05

Tax on Land for Water Purposes

\$1,374 68

1,374 68

Court Fines

\$1,240 00

1,240 00

Permits and Licenses

\$547 00

547 00

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State:

Acts 1935, Chapter 464	\$6,170 92
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6,170 92

From Norfolk County:

Dog Tax	\$1,853 99
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1,853 99

DEPARTMENTAL RECEIPTS

Treasurer:

Release of Tax Titles	\$65,700 96
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65,700 96

Assessors:

Sale of Poll Lists	\$5 00
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5 00

Carried forward

\$846,555 34

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$846,555 34
Engineering Department:		
Sale of Maps	\$1 80	1 80
Town Clerk:		
Sale of Town Reports	\$1 50	1 50
Town Hall and Grounds:		
Rental of Hall	\$525 00	525 00
Forestry Department:		
Sale of Arsenic of Lead	\$0 50	
Telephone	10 88	
Tree Damage	17 72	29 10
Fire Alarm Department:		
Sale of Old Lead	\$3 15	3 15
Police Department:		
Sale of a Rifle	\$25 00	25 00
Board of Selectmen:		
Fees as of Board of Appeal	\$10 00	\$10 00
ERA Public Works:		
Sale of Street Renumbering Manuals	\$120 00	120 00
Board of Health:		
Reimbursement from State:		
Contagious Diseases	\$27 50	
Tuberculosis	1,089 28	
Town of Weymouth:		
Tuberculosis	456 30	
County of Norfolk:		
Anti-Rabic Vaccine	21 38	
Dog Clinics	65 50	1,659 96
Public Welfare:		
Temporary Aid:		
Receipts from Individuals	\$774 50	
Receipts from Cities and Towns	3,521 84	
Receipts from State	7,474 62	11,770 96
Old Age Assistance:		
Receipts from State	\$5,198 41	
Receipts from Cities and Towns	220 66	5,419 07
Mothers' Aid:		
Receipts from Cities and Towns	\$2,779 34	
Receipts from State	2,363 75	5,143 09
School:		
Tuition from State	\$502 73	
Tuition from Boston	134 40	
Rentals	204 50	
Miscellaneous Receipts	381 85	1,223 48
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$872,487 45

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$872,487 45
Vocational Tuition:		
Receipts from State	\$564 01	
		<hr/> 564 01
Water Department:		
Receipts:		
Rates	\$57,162 17	
Repairs	984 28	
Construction	678 79	
Miscellaneous	106 46	
Liens	902 21	
		<hr/> 59,833 91
Public Library:		
Fines	\$349 91	
Sale of Waste Paper	2 76	
Lost Books	2 25	
		<hr/> 354 92
Inspection:		
Building Fees	\$650 00	
Cesspool Fees	114 00	
Plumbing Fees	890 05	
Gas Fees	165 00	
Wiring Fees	1,140 70	
Sealing Fees	91 36	
		<hr/> 3,051 11
Unclassified:		
County of Norfolk:		
Killing Stray Dogs	\$5 00	
		<hr/> 5 00
Glover Memorial Hospital:		
Receipts:		
For Services	\$11,379 64	
For Miscellaneous	53 61	
		<hr/> 11,433 25
Babson Institute Agreement	\$15 56	
		<hr/> 15 56
Highway Department:		
Use of Equipment	\$36 40	
		<hr/> 36 40

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Tax Loans	\$350,000 00	
		<hr/> 350,000 00

INTEREST

On Deposits	\$240 67	
On Deferred Taxes	9,232 64	
On Street Assessments	2,382 14	
On Sidewalk Assessments	60 34	
On Sewer Taxes	2,441 71	
On Excise Taxes	434 20	
On Greenwood and Barr Fund	369 37	
On Dwight School Fund	359 90	
On Tax Titles	6,664 41	
On Sewer House Connections	117 10	
		<hr/> 22,302 48
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/> \$1,320,084 09

Brought forward \$1,320,084 09

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Water Department Insurance	\$140 00	
Dog Licenses	2,456 20	
Donations	1,577 02	
Welfare Allowance 1934	1,135 00	
Refund to Petty Cash Reserve	10 00	
Legal Expenses 1934	6 69	
Fire Department Insurance Refund 1934 ..	51 98	
		5,376 89
Cash on Hand January 1, 1935	\$95,954 00	
		95,954 00
		<u>\$1,421,414 98</u>

PAYMENTS

General Government:

Selectmen's Department:

Salary of Board (3)	\$450 00	
Salary of Clerk	1,105 00	
		1,555 00
Appropriation	\$1,555 00	

Maintenance:

Office Supplies	\$121 04	
Telephone	113 20	
Miscellaneous	12 93	
		247 17
Appropriation	250 00	

Town Meeting:

Printing	\$218 05	
Tellers	48 00	
		266 05
Appropriation	175 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	91 05	
	\$266 05	

Receipts:

Fees as Board of Appeal ... 10 00

Accounting Department:

Salary of Accountant	\$1,445 00	
Salary of Clerk	884 00	
Temporary Clerk	225 00	
		2,554 00
Appropriation	2,329 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	225 00	
	\$2,554 00	

Maintenance:

Office Supplies	\$204 46	
Telephone	37 49	
New Equipment	145 00	
Miscellaneous	28 00	
		414 95

Carried forward \$5,037 17

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$5,037 17
Appropriation	\$355 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	60 00	
	<u>\$415 00</u>	
Treasury Department:		
Salary of Treasurer	\$2,210 00	
Salary of Clerks (2)	2,002 00	
	<u></u>	4,212 00
Appropriation	4,212 00	
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	558 98	
Telephone	95 48	
New Equipment	140 00	
Recording of Deeds	28 22	
Transportation	25 00	
Certification of Tax Notes	20 00	
Treasurer's Report	13 00	
Miscellaneous	25 69	
	<u></u>	906 37
Appropriation	907 00	
Bonds:		
Fidelity and Guaranty	\$233 00	
	<u></u>	\$233 00
Appropriation	250 00	
Receipts:		
Release of Tax Titles	65,700 96	
Town Clerk's Department:		
Salary of Town Clerk	\$467 50	
Salary of Clerk	1,193 40	
	<u></u>	1,660 90
Appropriation	1,660 90	
Maintenance:		
Administering Oaths	\$20 75	
Office Supplies	222 56	
Telephone	40 08	
Printing	32 40	
Recording Fees	293 25	
	<u></u>	609 04
Appropriation	613 00	
Receipts:		
Sale of Town Reports	1 50	
Election and Registration:		
Salaries of Registrars (4)	\$300 00	
	<u></u>	300 00
Appropriation	300 00	
Maintenance:		
Election Officers	\$388 50	
Office Supplies	59 68	
Printing	491 47	
Meals for Election Officers	35 60	
	<u></u>	
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$975 25	\$12,958 48

<i>Brought forward</i>	\$975 25	\$12,958 48
Clerical Services	30 00	
Rental of Chairs	32 00	
Miscellaneous	20 60	
	<hr/>	1,057 85
Appropriation	\$1,195 00	
Tax Collector's Department:		
Salary of Tax Collector	\$2,210 00	
Salary of Clerk	1,105 00	
	<hr/>	3,315 00
Appropriation	3,315 00	
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	\$608 75	
Telephone	48 25	
Miscellaneous	19 25	
Bonds	466 00	
Tax Title Expenses	655 59	
	<hr/>	\$1,797 84
Appropriation	\$2,037 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	109 25	
	<hr/>	\$2,146 25
Assessors' Department:		
Salaries of Assessors (3)	\$2,975 00	
Salary of Clerk	1,281 80	
	<hr/>	4,256 80
Appropriation	4,256 80	
Salaries, Temporary (6)	\$528 80	
	<hr/>	528 80
Appropriation	440 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	88 80	
	<hr/>	\$528 80
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	\$539 49	
Poll Lists	266 10	
Telephone	69 43	
Abstracts	169 03	
Transportation	228 50	
Miscellaneous	69 34	
	<hr/>	1,341 89
Appropriation	1,425 00	
New Equipment:		
Fixtures	\$495 00	
	<hr/>	495 00
Appropriation	495 00	
Receipts:		
Sale of Poll Lists	5 00	
Town Hall and Grounds:		
Salary of Custodian	\$1,144 00	
	<hr/>	1,144 00
Appropriation	1,144 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/> \$26,895 66

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$26,895 66
Maintenance:		
Fuel	\$907 54	
Janitor's Supplies	304 45	
Alterations and Repairs	839 26	
Water	40 40	
Insurance	31 38	
Miscellaneous	50	
		2,123 53
Appropriation	\$1,509 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	621 33	
	\$2,130 33	
Receipts:		
Rental of Town Hall	525 00	
Superintendent of Public Buildings:		
Salary of Superintendent	\$2,000 00	
		2,000 00
Appropriation	2,000 00	
Finance Committee:		
Salary of Clerk	\$300 00	
		300 00
Appropriation	300 00	
Maintenance:		
Stenographic Service	\$50 00	
Reports and Mailing	226 50	
Stationery and Supplies	80 00	
		356 50
Appropriation	450 00	
Board of Survey:		
Appropriation	50 00	
Town Planning Board:		
Clerical Expenses	\$36 56	
Office Supplies	24 25	
Advertising	22 23	
Miscellaneous	28 78	
		111 82
Appropriation	125 00	

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department:

Salaries:

Chief	\$2,295 00	
Sergeants (2)	3,995 00	
Patrolmen (12)	20,792 44	
Special Officers (2)	1,117 60	
Matron	1,200 00	
		29,400 04
Appropriation	29,410 00	

Carried forward

\$61,187 55

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$61,187 55
Telephone, Teletype and Radio:		
Telephone	\$232 90	
Teletype	570 00	
Radio	345 24	
		<hr/>
		1,148 14
Appropriation	\$1,150 00	
Equipment and Supplies:		
Equipment for Men	\$416 40	
Additional Equipment	19 64	
House Supplies	75 48	
Traffic Signals	250 76	
Lock-up Charges	56 35	
Laundry	37 49	
Office Supplies	150 34	
Chief's Expenses	11 25	
Miscellaneous	38 70	
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		1,056 41
Appropriation	1,115 00	
Building Maintenance:		
Fuel	\$657 52	
Light	328 49	
Water	29 20	
Repairs	380 20	
		<hr/>
		1,395 41
Appropriation	1,505 00	
Auto Maintenance:		
Gasoline	\$898 76	
Oil and Grease	86 15	
Repairs and Supplies	481 03	
New Equipment	883 75	
		<hr/>
		2,349 69
Appropriation	2,350 00	
Receipts:		
Sale of a Rifle	25 00	
Fire Department:		
Salaries:		
Chief	\$2,124 72	
Captains (2)	3,995 00	
Lieutenants (1)	1,997 50	
Regulars (12)	21,296 35	
Callmen	2,675 67	
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		32,089 24
Appropriation	32,325 00	
Maintenance:		
Equipment and Repairs	\$3,133 70	
Equipment for Men	160 94	
House Supplies	8 35	
Laundry	105 95	
Telephone	217 60	
Office Supplies	67 05	
Miscellaneous	45 68	
		<hr/>
		3,739 27
Appropriation	3,870 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/>
		\$102,965 71

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$102,965 71
Building Maintenance:		
Light	\$225 58	
Fuel	712 71	
Water	83 20	
House Repairs	271 92	
Building Supplies	252 24	
		<hr/> 1,545 65
Appropriation	\$1,600 00	
Fire Alarm Department:		
Salaries	\$255 00	
		<hr/> 255 00
Appropriation	255 00	
Maintenance:		
Power for Whistle	\$130 12	
Auto Expenses	14 85	
Materials	415 10	
New Equipment	290 00	
Labor Repairing	53 51	
Compensation Insurance	7 67	
		<hr/> 911 25
Appropriation	950 00	
Receipts:		
Sale of Old Lead	3 15	
Inspection Department:		
Salaries:		
Building Inspector	\$1,400 00	
Wiring Inspector	1,200 00	
Plumbing and Gas Inspectors (2)	964 75	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	340 00	
Animal Inspector	255 00	
		<hr/> 4,159 75
Appropriation	4,095 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	85 00	
	<hr/> \$4,180 00	
Maintenance:		
Telephone	\$34 84	
Office Supplies	64 78	
Auto Hire	61 50	
		<hr/> 161 12
Appropriation	205 50	
Receipts:		
Building Fees	650 00	
Wiring Fees	1,140 70	
Plumbing Fees	890 05	
Cesspool Fees	114 00	
Gas Fees	165 00	
Sealing Fees	91 36	
	<hr/> \$3,051 11	
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/> \$109,998 48

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$109,998 48
Forest Warden's Department:		
Salary of Forest Warden	\$85 00	
		5 00
Appropriation	\$85 00	
Maintenance:		
Appropriation	75 00	
Forestry Division:		
Salary of Tree Warden	\$1,482 37	
Labor	1,465 34	
Unclassified	40 16	
		2,987 87
Appropriation	3,152 00	
Maintenance:		
Tools and Supplies	\$118 00	
Auto Expenses	98 30	
Telephone	45 79	
Insurance	183 98	
Office Supplies	16 41	
		462 48
Appropriation	465 00	
Receipts:		
Sale of Arsenic of Lead	50	
Telephone	10 88	
Tree Damage	17 72	
		\$29 10
Moth Department on Private Property:		
Labor	\$169 86	
Auto Expenses	42 80	
Insecticides	163 67	
Miscellaneous	39 12	
		415 45
Appropriation	1,000 00	
Health and Sanitation:		
Salary of Health Officer	\$1,700 00	
Salary of Nurse	728 00	
		2,428 00
Appropriation	2,428 00	
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	\$74 48	
Telephone	65 14	
Transportation	161 94	
Laboratory Expenses	18 11	
Disposal of Dead Animals	66 00	
Insurance	13 43	
Dog Clinic	90 50	
Burial Permits	36 25	
Miscellaneous	38 98	
		564 83
Appropriation	581 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$116,942 11

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$116,942 11
Hospitalization:		
Board and Treatment	\$6,384 36	
		6,384 36
Appropriation	\$4,000 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	2,400 00	
	\$6,400 00	
Care of Dump:		
Salary of Caretaker	\$780 00	
		780 00
Appropriation	\$780 00	
Removal of Garbage:		
Contract	\$2,833 33	
		2,833 33
Appropriation	\$2,833 33	
Reimbursement by State:		
Contagious Diseases	27 50	
Tuberculosis	1,545 58	
Anti-Rabic Vaccine	21 38	
Dog Clinic	65 50	
	\$1,659 96	

GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Hospital:		
Salaries:		
Matron	\$1,380 00	
Nurses	4,900 99	
Cook	886 47	
Janitor	900 00	
Maid	469 35	
		8,536 81
Appropriation	\$8,744 03	
Maintenance:		
Labor	\$101 50	
Office Supplies	184 92	
Lights	302 93	
Telephone	144 19	
Food	4,340 24	
Laundry	977 64	
Ice	59 70	
Medical Supplies	1,663 03	
Medical Equipment	132 46	
Janitor's Supplies	64 55	
Furnishings	424 81	
Fuel	1,014 82	
Repairs	154 64	
Clothing	6 00	
Water	109 80	
Compensation Insurance	50 70	
Miscellaneous	32 87	
		9,764 80
Appropriation	9,765 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$145,241 41

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$145,241 41
Receipts:		
From Services	\$11,379 64	
From Miscellaneous	53 61	
	<u>\$11,433 25</u>	
CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS		
Department of Public Welfare:		
Salary of Agent	\$1,572 48	
Salary of Visitor	1,147 64	
Salary of Clerk	679 88	
	<u>3,400 00</u>	3,400 00
Appropriation	3,400 00	
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	302 79	
Telephone	88 30	
Food	4,736 81	
Fuel	252 22	
Rents	8,110 39	
Board and Care	2,945 69	
Medical Aid	2,804 53	
Transportation	403 92	
Clothing	1,292 13	
Expenses at Wood Lot	783 96	
Trucking	145 45	
Interment Expenses	423 50	
Miscellaneous	259 55	
	<u>\$22,549 24</u>	
Outside Relief:		
Town	\$19,853 60	
Other Cities or Towns	2,969 32	
Mothers' Aid	1,714 11	
Old Age Assistance	13,170 29	
	<u>37,707 32</u>	60,256 56
Appropriation	\$60,535 00	
Receipts:		
From Cities and Towns ..	6,301 18	
From State	9,838 37	
From Individuals	774 50	
Old Age Assistance	5,419 07	
	<u>\$22,333 12</u>	
ERA Welfare:		
Investigator	\$227 06	
	<u>227 06</u>	227 06
Appropriation	700 00	
State Aid:		
Allowances	\$330 00	
	<u>330 00</u>	330 00
Appropriation	500 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		<u>\$209,455 03</u>

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$209,455 03
Military Aid:		
Allowances	\$300 00	
		300 00
Appropriation	\$500 00	
Soldiers' Relief:		
Salary of Agent	\$510 00	
Office Supplies	92 21	
Allowances	6,158 08	
Food	1,146 62	
Fuel	68 80	
Rent	2,384 86	
Clothing	726 39	
Medical Aid	1,161 18	
Hospital Care	210 65	
Outside Aid	628 63	
Interment	100 00	
Auto	219 56	
Telephone	34 08	
Miscellaneous	213 98	
		13,655 04
Appropriation	15,000 00	

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library:		
Salary of Librarian	\$1,530 00	
Salaries of Assistants	2,508 64	
		4,038 64
Appropriation	4,150 00	
Maintenance:		
Salary of Janitor	\$510 00	
Office Supplies	493 30	
Books	1,743 50	
Periodicals	223 05	
Binding Books	147 78	
Moving Books	27 25	
Telephone	49 12	
Alterations and Repairs	144 51	
Fuel	394 50	
Janitor's Supplies	42 33	
Furnishings	183 95	
Cards	24 74	
Repairs to Tower	242 00	
Miscellaneous	53 49	
		4,279 52
Appropriation	\$2,177 15	
Dog Licenses	1,853 99	
Income Greenwood and		
Barr Funds	383 16	
	\$4,414 30	
Receipts:		
Fines	349 91	
Sale of Waste Paper	2 76	
Lost Books	2 25	
		\$354 92
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$231,728 23

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$231,728 23
ERA Library	\$69 98	
	<hr/>	69 98
Appropriation	\$122 50	

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Salaries:

General Control:

Superintendent of Schools .	\$4,500 00	
Attendance Officer	212 50	
Clerks	1,664 12	
	<hr/>	\$6,376 62

Expenses of Instruction:

Supervisors:

Physical Education	\$2,380 00	
Music	2,000 00	
Art	1,700 00	
	<hr/>	6,080 00

Principals:

Senior High School	\$3,655 00	
Junior High School	2,601 00	
Elementary Schools	4,335 00	
Clerks	1,508 00	
	<hr/>	12,099 00

Teachers:

Senior High School	\$30,439 00	
Junior High School	30,063 50	
Elementary Schools	63,122 42	
Substitutes	2,166 80	
Tutors	236 00	
	<hr/>	126,027 72

Janitors:

All Schools	\$17,044 81	
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Health:

School Physicians	\$637 40	
School Nurse	1,615 00	
	<hr/>	2,252 40

Appropriation \$172,205 80

Maintenance:

General Control:

Printing	152 67	
Office Supplies and Sundry.	504 95	
Transportation	410 47	
	<hr/>	1,068 09

Expenses of Instruction:

Text Books	\$4,973 32	
Supplies	4,491 69	
	<hr/>	9,465 01

Operating Expenses:

Fuel	\$8,985 56	
Water	838 50	
Electricity	2,894 91	
Telephone	476 67	
Building and Cleaning Sup- plies	1,611 47	
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<i>Carried forward</i>	\$4,807 11	\$10,533 10	\$401,678 76
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<i>Brought forward</i>	\$4,807 11	\$10,533 10	\$401,678 76
Pupils' Supplies	327 83		
Miscellaneous Operating Ex- penses	109 55	15,244 49	
Maintenance:			
Repairs to School Buildings .	\$6,832 20	6,832 20	
Auxiliary Agencies:			
Libraries	\$55 66		
Health Supplies	56 25		
Travel, Nurse.....	151 86		
Transportation, Pupils.....	6,293 25		
Tuition	218 08		
Insurance	215 22		
Removal of Ashes	418 20		
Commencement Expenses ...	157 27		
Sundry Expenses	27 14	7,592 93	
Outlays:			
New Buildings	\$43 50		
New Grounds	18 00		
New Equipment	612 36	673 86	
			40,876 58
Appropriation	\$40,125 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	1,200 00		
	\$41,325 00		
Receipts:			
State Income Tax	9,200 00		
Tuition from State	502 73		
Tuition from Boston	134 40		
Rentals	204 50		
Miscellaneous Receipts.....	381 85		
	\$10,423 48		
Vocational Tuition:			
City of Boston	\$379 83		
City of Newton	3,438 51	3,818 34	
			3,818 34
Appropriation	\$1,500 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	2,544 71		
	\$4,044 71		
Receipts:			
From State	564 01		
ERA School		2,650 14	
			2,650 14
Appropriation	3,013 50		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	2,000 00		
	\$5,013 50		
<i>Carried forward</i>			\$449,023 82

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$449,023 82	
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS			
Administration:			
Salary of Superintendent	\$3,400 00		
Salary of Clerk	884 00		
			4,284 00
Appropriation	\$4,284 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies	\$114 05		
Telephone	201 01		
			315 06
Appropriation	331 00		
Engineering:			
Salary of Engineers	\$2,500 00		
			2,500 00
Appropriation	2,500 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies	\$78 35		
Transportation	44 25		
Engineering Supplies	97 42		
Miscellaneous	62 54		
			282 56
Appropriation	285 00		
Receipts:			
Sale of Maps	1 80		
Highway:			
Office Supplies	137 87		
Telephone	38 17		
Compensation Insurance	673 12		
Miscellaneous	12 72		
Unclassified	2,595 60		
Equipment and Repairs	644 31		
Sand and Gravel, Etc.	1,264 22		
Tarvia	1,211 12		
Tools and Supplies	1,007 45		
		\$7,584 58	
Street Repairs:			
Labor	\$5,914 29		
Materials	5,965 65		
		11,879 94	
Street Cleaning:			
Labor	\$4,158 66		
Materials	272 75		
		4,431 41	
Drains:			
Labor	\$2,049 00		
Auto	234 00		
Materials	10 44		
		2,293 44	
Signs:			
Labor	\$592 20		
Material	133 02		
New Signs	230 95		
		956 17	
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$27,145 54	\$456,405 44	

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<i>Brought forward</i>	\$27,145 54	\$456,405 44
Fences:		
Labor	\$186 25	
Material	26 24	
New Fences	399 19	
	<hr/>	611 68
Bridges:		
Material	\$95 98	
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Appropriation	\$27,950 00	27,853 20
Receipts:		
Use of Equipment	36 40	
Parks:		
Labor	\$450 63	
Maintenance of Equipment	32 75	
Use of Truck	14 40	
	<hr/>	497 78
Appropriation	500 00	
Sidewalks:		
Maintenance:		
Labor	\$668 87	
Material	250 19	
Insurance	80 94	
	<hr/>	1,000 00
Appropriation	1,000 00	
Snow Removal:		
Maintenance of Equipment	\$360 65	
Tools and Supplies	38 11	
Auto Expenses	48 86	
Removing	3,648 91	
Road Plowing	607 18	
Sidewalk Plowing	209 48	
Sanding	1,678 33	
Hired Equipment	3,386 79	
Miscellaneous	8 50	
	<hr/>	9,986 81
Appropriation	10,000 00	
Emergency Relief Administration:		
Department of Public Works:		
Engineering	\$321 15	
Forestry	326 54	
Highway	6,840 34	
Sidewalks	1,347 31	
Snow Removal	389 12	
Sewer Construction	20 35	
Sewer Maintenance	156 60	
Miscellaneous	1,160 95	
	<hr/>	10,562 36
Appropriation	15,688 00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund	7,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$22,688 00
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$506,305 59

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$506,305 59
Receipts:		
Sale of Street Renumbering		
Manuals	\$120 00	
ERA Administration	\$1,175 32	1,175 32
Appropriation	1,176 00	
Replacement of Equipment General:		
Trucks	\$4,654 10	
Snow Plows	1,545 90	
Appropriation	6,200 00	6,200 00
Equipment General:		
Administration	\$1,164 64	
Engineering	166 26	
Forestry	294 59	
Highway	993 33	
Snow Removal	273 33	
Sewer	429 98	
Miscellaneous	446 03	
Appropriation	3,908 00	3,768 16
Acts, 1935, Chapter 464:		
Labor	\$1,813 60	
Material	2,464 88	
Rental of Roller	64 00	
Special Grant from State..	6,170 92	\$4,342 48

STREET LIGHTING

Edison Electric Ill. Co.		
Contract	\$21,406 57	
Installing Light	75 39	
Appropriation	\$22,000 00	21,481 96

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Sewer:		
Salary and Wages	\$2,838 08	
Unclassified	157 88	
Appropriation	\$3,000 00	2,995 96
Maintenance:		
Office Supplies	\$68 25	
Tools and Supplies	91 85	
Auto Expenses	23 80	
Insurance	30 82	
Miscellaneous	33 01	
Appropriation	250 00	247 73
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$546,517 20

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$546,517 20
Construction:		
Labor	\$3,768 85	
Hired Equipment	444 70	
Equipment and Auto Expenses	470 63	
Sand and Gravel	86 59	
Brick, Pipe and Cement.....	299 23	
Tools and Supplies	1,370 91	
Blasting.....	302 06	
Rental of Compressor	1,751 48	
Compensation Insurance	506 12	
Bonds	8,000 00	
Interest on Bonds	782 50	
Miscellaneous	89 39	
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Appropriation	\$6,119 95	17,872 46
Transfer from Sewer Re- serve Fund	13,097 62	
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	\$19,217 57	

Sewer House Connections:		
Labor.....	\$2,763 33	
Tools and Supplies.....	931 83	
Compensation Insurance	277 36	
Miscellaneous	21 67	
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Appropriation	5,000 00	3,994 19

STREETS CONSTRUCTION

Beaufort Avenue		
Labor.....	\$182 78	
Material	2,035 55	
Truck Hire	897 50	
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Appropriation	\$3,325 00	3,115 83
Hawthorn Avenue		
Labor.....	\$134 21	
Material	1,054 62	
Truck Hire	767 60	
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Appropriation	2,135 00	1,956 43
Laurel Drive (Northerly)		
Labor.....	\$84 16	
Material	414 70	
Truck Hire	836 14	
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Appropriation	1,335 00	1,335 00
Laurel Drive (Southerly)		
Labor.....	\$52 91	
Material	277 45	
Truck Hire	704 64	
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Appropriation	1,035 00	1,035 00
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/>
		\$575,826 11

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$575,826 11
Manning Street Extension		
Labor	\$29 71	
Material	127 40	
Truck Hire	382 89	
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		540 00
Appropriation	\$540 00	
Nichols Road		
Labor	\$96 67	
Material	581 15	
Truck Hire	1,369 58	
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		2,047 40
Appropriation	2,150 00	
Oakhurst Circle		
Labor	\$76 01	
Material	434 20	
Truck Hire	947 79	
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		1,458 00
Appropriation	1,458 00	
Warren Street Extension		
Labor	\$145 81	
Water	590 85	
Truck Hire	1,628 34	
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		2,365 00
Appropriation	2,365 00	

WATER DEPARTMENT

Maintenance:			
Superintendent	\$2,499 64		
Engineers and Clerk	3,766 79		
Labor	4,619 47		
Unclassified	878 53		
Telephone	176 82		
Auto	680 21		
Tools and Supplies	1,207 52		
Meters and Fittings	2,714 31		
Lights	53 23		
Bonds	6,280 00		
Interest on Bonds	1,840 00		
Pipe and Fittings	493 71		
Equipment	452 45		
Compensation Insurance	416 84		
Printing and Advertising ...	36 25		
Office Supplies	810 33		
Engineering Advice	500 00		
Driving Wells	3,020 87		
Miscellaneous	166 93		
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			\$30,613 90
Pumping Station:			
Engineer	\$1,653 08		
Power	9,011 15		
Station Supplies	777 80		
Fuel	1,658 10		
Repairs to Building	66 50		
Repairs to Machinery	133 55		
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<i>Carried forward</i>	\$13,300 18	\$30,613 90	\$582,236 51

<i>Brought forward</i>	\$13,300 18	\$30,613 90	\$582,236 51
Station Equipment	\$615 21		
Insurance	140 00		
		14,055 39	
Construction:			
Labor on Services	\$374 62		
Material for Services	1,769 66		
Labor on Mains	585 93		
Material for Mains	1,439 44		
Glancy Station Addition	998 76		
		\$5,168 41	
Appropriation	\$50,600 00		49,837 70
ERA Water		\$10,000 00	
Appropriation	10,000 00		10,000 00
Equipment Water		\$400 00	
Appropriation	400 00		400 00
Replacement of Equipment Water:			
Trucks		\$723 70	
Snow Plow		276 30	
Appropriation	1,000 00		1,000 00
Needham Gardens:			
Water Mains		\$614 75	
Appropriation	2,582 94		614 75
Purchase Water Land:			
Charles River Street.....		\$12,500 00	
Appropriation	12,500 00		12,500 00
Receipts:			
Rates	57,162 17		
Repairs	984 28		
Department	678 79		
Miscellaneous	106 46		
Liens	902 21		
	\$59,833 91		

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day:			
Music	\$100 00		
Flags	42 45		
Printing	15 75		
Wreaths	57 00		
Ice Cream Cones	40 00		
Markers	38 20		
			293 40
Appropriation	\$300 00		
<i>Carried forward</i>			\$656,882 36

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$656,882 36
Memorial Park:		
Labor	\$909 15	
Material	120 36	
Truck Hire	32 00	
Water	104 81	
Miscellaneous	34 85	
Building Alteration and Repairs	1,612 48	
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		2,813 65
Appropriation	\$2,800 00	
Transfer from Reserve		
Fund	300 00	
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	\$3,100 00	
Recreational Activities:		
Supervisors (2)	\$435 50	
Supplies and Equipment	410 85	
Labor	43 75	
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		890 10
Appropriation	900 00	
Unclassified:		
Massachusetts Census Enumerators	\$404 80	
Painting Flag Pole	75 00	
Jury List	6 00	
Miscellaneous	97 38	
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		583 18
Appropriation	325 00	
Transfer from Reserve		
Fund	258 18	
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	\$583 18	
Legal Department:		
Salary of Town Counsel	\$1,275 00	
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		1,275 00
Appropriation	1,275 00	
Maintenance:		
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$1,053 36	
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		\$1,053 36
Appropriation	1,000 00	
Transfer from Reserve		
Fund	53 36	
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	\$1,053 36	
Town Reports:		
Printing	\$781 90	
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		781 90
Appropriation	1,000 00	
Dog Officer:		
Salary	\$210 00	
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		210 00
Appropriation	210 00	
<i>Carried forward</i>		<hr/>
		\$664,489 55

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<i>Brought forward</i>		\$664,489 55	
Receipts:			
Killing Stray Dogs	\$5 00		
Insurance:			
Premiums Blanket Policy	\$4,227 91		4,227 91
Appropriation	4,288 84		
Special Insurance:			
Premium (Robbery and Holdup)	\$175 00		175 00
Appropriation	300 00		
Annuity Account:			
Widow and Family — Francis O. Haddock	\$1,800 00		1,800 00
Appropriation	1,800 00		
Annuity Account:			
Widow — Forbes A. McLeod	\$1,000 00		1,000 00
Appropriation	1,000 00		
Care of Soldiers' Graves:			
Needham Cemetery Association	\$396 59		396 59
Appropriation	400 00		
Local Game Warden:			
Salary	\$85 00		\$85 00
Appropriation	85 00		
Petroleum Inspector:			
Salary	\$85 00		85 00
Appropriation	85 00		
Norfolk County Hospital:			
Assessment — 1935	\$5,746 09		5,746 09
Appropriation	5,746 09		
Unpaid Bills of 1934:			
Public Welfare	\$166 86		
Health	6 57		
Unclassified	27 36		
Highway	92 67		
Memorial Park	2 45		
Repairs Old Fire Station	16 39		
School	465 40		
Tree Warden	6 71		
Library	17 88		
Water	14 28		
Snow Removal	270 76		
Glover Memorial Hospital	371 35		1,458 68
Appropriation	1,477 13		
<i>Carried forward</i>		\$679,463 82	

<i>Brought forward</i>		\$679,463 82
Interest and Maturing Debts:		
Interest on Temporary Loans	\$706 52	
		706 52
Appropriation	\$7,000 00	
Interest on Funded Loans:		
Refunding 4½%	\$2,120 00	
Stephen Palmer Addition	1,800 00	
William Carter School	2,600 00	
New High School — 1923	5,057 50	
New High School — 1929	13,720 00	
Elementary School	1,997 50	
Fire and Police Station	2,640 00	
Sewer Construction — 1925	4,100 00	
		34,035 00
Appropriation	34,035 00	

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Refunding 4½%	\$8,000 00	
Stephen Palmer Addition	5,000 00	
William Carter School	8,000 00	
New High School, 1923	14,000 00	
New High School, 1929	26,000 00	
Elementary School	4,000 00	
Fire and Police Station Building	6,000 00	
Sewer Construction, 1925	5,000 00	
		76,000 00
Appropriation	\$76,000 00	

TAXES AND REFUNDS

State Tax	\$35,600 00	
Charles River Basin	2,424 43	
Metropolitan Park Tax	11,907 85	
Metropolitan Planning Board	114 44	
Metropolitan Sewerage Tax	19,659 32	
Smoke Nuisance	197 79	
Municipal Accounts	8 27	
Veterans' Exemption	8 96	
Canterbury Street Highway	45 91	
Land Takings — Revere Highway	100 46	
Ocean Avenue — Revere	5 11	
Ways in Malden, Braintree, Weymouth, and Hingham	32	
West Roxbury — Brookline Parkway	112 29	
Canton, Dedham, Westwood, Needham, and Wellesley Highway	11,858 97	
Brookline Street, Essex Street, and Cottage Farm Bridge	40 05	
Norfolk County Tax	24,831 13	
Temporary Tax Loans	400,000 00	
Refunds on Taxes — Real	2,858 00	
Refunds on Taxes — Interest	3 23	
Refunds on Taxes — Motor Excise	543 64	
Refunds on Dog Licenses	2,428 60	
Refunds on Poll Tax	4 00	
Refunds on Poll Tax Demand	35	
Refunds on Taxes — Personal	1,437 65	
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$514,190 77	\$790,205 34

<i>Brought forward</i>	\$514,190 77	\$790,205 34
Refunds on Tax Titles	40 00	
Refunds on Sewer Interest	3 97	
Refunds on Street Interest	1 93	
Transfer from General Cash to Petty Cash .	20 00	
Transfer from Hospital to Treasury Department	5 00	
		514,261 67
Cash on hand December 31, 1935		116,947 97
		<u>\$1,421,414 98</u>

Reserve Fund:

Transfer to:

Accounting Salary	\$225 00	
Accounting Maintenance	60 00	
Vocational Tuition	2,544 71	
Hospitalization	2,400 00	
Tax Collector Maintenance	109 25	
School Maintenance	1,200 00	
Memorial Park	300 00	
Selectmen Maintenance	91 25	
Unclassified	311 54	
Town Hall and Grounds Maintenance .	621 33	
Assessors Salary	88 80	
Inspection Salary	85 00	
ERA Public Works	7,000 00	
ERA School	2,000 00	
		\$17,036 88
Appropriation	\$18,000 00	

TRIAL BALANCE

1935

Cash	\$116,947 97	
Taxes 1934	858 25	
Taxes 1935	169,195 46	
Motor Excise Tax 1935	3,340 85	
Sewer House Connection Assessment 1935 .	195 89	
Unapportioned Sewer House Connection Assessment 1935	2,780 41	
Sewer Assessment 1934	41 13	
Sewer Assessment 1935	2,315 17	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment 1928	5,087 73	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment 1935	4,636 11	
Sidewalk Assessment 1935	72 57	
Street Assessment 1935	2,301 74	
Interest Added to Tax Bills 1934	11 85	
Interest Added to Tax Bills 1935	1,189 39	
Overlay Reserve		15,893 02
Overlay 1934		6,622 57
Overlay 1935		1,866 17
Tax Titles	64,476 84	
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Not Due ...	29,040 87	
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1936 ...		6,542 91
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1937 ...		6,323 56
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1938 ...		5,235 75
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1939 ...		3,557 84
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1940 ...		2,492 87
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$402,492 23	\$48,534 69

<i>Brought forward</i>	\$402,492 23	\$48,534 69
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1941...		1,663 13
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1942...		1,067 38
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1943...		1,053 81
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1944...		748 69
Apportioned Sewer Assessment Due 1945...		354 93
Apportioned Street Betterments Not Due ..	26,799 44	
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1936..		7,368 81
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1937..		6,736 59
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1938..		5,997 29
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1939..		3,398 87
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1940..		1,902 01
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1941..		902 29
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1942..		164 86
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1943..		164 86
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1944..		164 86
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Not Due	554 03	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1936		226 80
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1937		181 15
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1938		87 86
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1939		48 22
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1940		10 00
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Not Due	1,782 74	
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1936		489 16
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1937		441 25
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1938		372 58
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1939		215 12
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1940		130 17
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1941		87 77
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1942		34 04
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1943		12 62
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1944		03
Departmental Bills Receivable General	4,156 78	
Departmental Bills Receivable Welfare	10,869 42	
Departmental Bills Receivable Hospital	13,629 00	
Departmental Revenue		28,655 20
Accounts Receivable — Federal Grant Hospital Construction	19,125 00	
Excess and Deficiency		97,601 82
Revenue 1936.....	12,849 33	
Tax Title Revenue		64,476 84
Revenue Interest		1,201 24
Motor Excise Tax Revenue		3,340 85
Sewer Assessment Revenue		12,080 14
Sewer Construction Reserve		13,873 80
Sidewalk Assessment Revenue		72 57
Street Betterment Assessment Revenue		2,301 74
Sewer House Connections Revenue		2,976 30
Refunds — Teachers		1,577 02
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$492,257 97	\$310,717 36

<i>Brought forward</i>	\$492,257 97	\$310,717 36
Petty Cash Advances	150 00	
Petty Cash Reserve		150 00
Tailings		765 09
Dog Licenses — Trust Fund		36 00
Temporary Tax Loans		100,000 00
ERA Public Works General		12,125 64
ERA School		2,363 36
ERA Library		52 52
Beaufort Avenue Construction		209 17
Hawthorn Avenue Construction		178 57
Nichols Road Construction		102 60
Special Public Works — Acts 1935 Chapter 464		1,828 44
Glover Memorial Hospital Construction ...		19,125 00
Reward — McLeod and Haddock		1,000 00
Water Rates	6,638 93	
Water Repairs	337 43	
Water Liens	228 77	
Water Revenue		7,205 13
Water Department Construction Station No. 3		40,000 00
Needham Gardens — Water Mains		1,968 19
Fairfield Street Water Mains		670 06
Smith Hughes Fund Income		35 57
George Reed Fund Income		1 80
Dwight School Fund Income		359 90
Greenwood and Barr Fund Income		369 37
Land Award — Nellie A. Richwagen		347 33
Land Award — Matthew B. and Emma Dallachie		1 00
Land Award — Webster Street Realty Trust		1 00
Trust Funds Cash and Securities	86,761 82	
Dwight School		6,000 00
Mary V. E. Hill		1,061 53
Myra S. Greenwood		12,482 11
Martha Ann Barr		500 00
William Carter Co.		8,866 91
Horace A. Carter		1,248 18
The Lyon Fund		6,382 18
Thomas Sutton		1,175 92
Seth A. Fowle		2,376 22
Adeline E. Harris		121 08
Elizabeth Fisher		119 52
Hospital Building		20,094 07
George E. Wye		10,224 68
Lucy N. Cutter		2,932 50
William Wentworth		60 48
Glover Hospital Fund		2,814 50
Mary E. Moseley (Bed)		4,810 73
William G. Moseley Scholarship		4,357 34
Needham Cemetery Association		1,133 87
	<u>\$586,374 92</u>	<u>\$586,374 92</u>

DEBT STATEMENT Also Amounts Due from Principals and Interest During Year 1936

	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1934	Paid in 1935	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1935	Due on Principal, 1936	Interest 1936
Refunding 4½%	\$53,000 00	\$8,000 00	\$45,000 00	\$8,000 00	\$1,800 00
Stephen Palmer Addition	45,000 00	5,000 00	40,000 00	4,000 00	1,600 00
William Carter School	56,000 00	8,000 00	48,000 00	8,000 00	2,200 00
New High School 1923	126,000 00	14,000 00	112,000 00	14,000 00	4,462 50
New High School 1929	356,000 00	26,000 00	330,000 00	26,000 00	12,680 00
Elementary School	49,000 00	4,000 00	45,000 00	3,000 00	1,848 75
Fire and Police Station Building	66,000 00	6,000 00	60,000 00	6,000 00	2,400 00
Sewer Construction 1925	105,000 00	5,000 00	100,000 00	5,000 00	3,900 00
Sewer Extension 1930	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Sewer Extension 1931	21,000 00	3,000 00	18,000 00	3,000 00	*577 50
Water Bonds	28,000 00	7,000 00	21,000 00	7,000 00	†840 00
	<u>\$910,000 00</u>	<u>\$91,000 00</u>	<u>\$819,000 00</u>	<u>\$84,000 00</u>	<u>\$32,308 75</u>

*Payable from Sewer Construction Funds. †Payable from Water Maintenance.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE TAX RATE FOR 1935

	1935	1934
Finance Committee	\$0.024	\$0.026
Board of Survey .....	.002	.002
Planning Board .....	.004	.003
Selectmen .....	.064	.066
Accounting .....	.087	.087
Treasury .....	.175	.158
Town Clerk .....	.074	.070
Tax Collector .....	.174	.188
Assessors .....	.215	.172
Election and Registration .....	.049	.083
Town Hall and Grounds .....	.086	.117
Superintendent of Buildings .....	.065	.....
Police Department	1.157	1.081
Fire Department	1.231	1.126
Fire Alarm .....	.039	.043
Inspection .....	.140	.117
Forest Warden .....	.005	.005
Forestry .....	.118	.....
Moth Private .....	.033	.....
Health .....	.098	.183
Hospitalization .....	.130	.....
Care of Dump .....	.025	.....
Removal of Garbage .....	.092	.062
Public Works Administration .....	.150	.....
Highway .....	.910	.....
ERA Public Works .....	.511	.....
ERA School .....	.098	.....
ERA Library .....	.004	.....
ERA Administration .....	.038	.....
Sidewalks .....	.033	.206
Equipment .....	.127	.....
Removal of Snow .....	.326	.285
Replacement of Equipment .....	.202	.....
Street Lighting .....	.716	.681
Parks .....	.016	.....
Beaufort Avenue Construction .....	.108	.....
Hawthorn Avenue Construction .....	.069	.....
Laurel Drive North Construction .....	.043	.....
Laurel Drive South Construction .....	.034	.....
Manning Street Extension Construction .....	.018	.....
Nichols Road Construction .....	.070	.....
Oakhurst Circle Construction .....	.047	.....
Warren Street Extension Construction .....	.077	.....
Public Welfare	2.082	2.008
ERA Investigator .....	.023	.....
State Aid .....	.016	.003
Military Aid .....	.016	.009
Soldiers' Relief .....	.488	.465
School	6,915	6,278
Vocational Tuition .....	.049	.048
Library .....	.206	.169
Unclassified .....	.157	.306
Unpaid bills 1934 .....	.027	.....
Insurance .....	.140	.062
Memorial Day .....	.010	.009
Memorial Park .....	.091	.048
Care of Soldiers' Graves .....	.013	.....
Game Warden .....	.003	.003
Petroleum Inspector .....	.003	.003

Engineering	\$0.091	
Annuity Haddock .....	.059	\$0.051
Annuity McLeod .....	.033	.028
Special Insurance .....	.010	
Recreational Committee .....	.029	
Sewer .....	.106	
Norfolk County Hospital .....	.187	.150
Sewer House Connection .....	.163	
Glover Memorial Hospital .....	.603	.561
Interest Temporary Loans .....	.228	.609
Municipal Indebtedness	2.475	2.421
Interest on Funded Loans	1.108	1.123
Equipment Water .....	.013	
Replacement Equipment Water .....	.033	
Water Department	1.648	
ERA Water .....	.326	
State Tax	2.154	2.462
Overlay .....	.302	.539
Norfolk County Tax .....	.809	.529
	<u>\$28.30</u>	....

UNPAID BILLS DUE IN 1934

*Balance of Maintenance Appropriation Unexpended

Vocational Tuition:		
City of Boston	\$138 46	
	<u> </u>	\$138 46
*\$5 91		
Department of Public Works — Highway:		
Alger E. Eaton	\$40 00	
	<u> </u>	40 00
*\$982 51		

UNPAID BILLS DUE IN 1935

Town Clerk:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel.Co.	\$4 03	
	<u> </u>	4 03
*\$3 96		
Assessors:		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	\$7 84	
	<u> </u>	7 84
\$83 11		
Registrars:		
R. H. Waldman & Co.	\$1 90	
	<u> </u>	1 90
*\$137 15		
Police Department:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$4 00	
Edison Electric Ill. Co.	64 83	
	<u> </u>	68 83
*\$109 59		
Inspection:		
Leon & Hayes	\$15 40	
	<u> </u>	15 40
*\$44 38		

Unclassified:

Gertrude E. Puffer	\$8 53
Clarence E. Foss	24 00

\$32 53

*\$1,218 10

Soldiers' Relief:

Kinne's Pharmacy	\$8 40
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	10 00

18 40

*\$1,344 96

Hospital:

Surgeons and Physicians' Supply Co.	\$2 96
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	9 18
Edison Elec. Ill. Co. of Boston	26 55
Lewis Mfg. Co.	46 22
Crowley Gardner Co.	68 79

153 70

*\$0 20

Welfare:

T. J. Crossman Co., Inc.	\$109 97
J. P. Kinsman	71 67
R. L. Grasso	68 20
Ralph H. Chambers	62 04
Needham Dental Clinic	1 00
Kinne's Pharmacy	20 31
Francis J. Malumphy	3 50
David E. Mann	4 00
Edward Broderick	26 50
Glover Memorial Hospital	1 00
Lawson's Express	2 75
Whetton's Oil Co.	7 91
Highland Avenue Market	17 05
H. S. Marvin	1 48
Willet & Chadwick Coal Co.	13 05
Edison Electric Ill. Co. of Boston	4 72
Brown's Market, Inc.	10 00
Frank J. Sherman	30 00
William Mitchell	16 00
W. T. Grant Co.	55
Mass. General Hospital	74 35
Needham Dental Clinic	1 00
Rimmele's Market, Inc.	12 00
John J. O'Hayre	11 50

570 55

*\$278 44

Library:

John Lawson	\$11 17
Lawson's Express	35
Junior Literary Guild	2 66
Library of Congress	4 21

18 39

*\$134 78

Department of Public Works:

Administration Maintenance:

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$4 34
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4 34

*\$15 94

Equipment General:

Standard Oil Co.	\$157 62	
Edison Electric Ill. Co. of Boston	3 64	
	<hr/>	\$161 26

*\$139 84

School:

Edison Electric Ill. Co. of Boston	\$449 02	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 42	
Rimmele's Market, Inc.	15 10	
Acme Laundry	88	
Whiting Milk Co.	95	
Worcester Gas Light Co.	1 52	
	<hr/>	469 89

*\$448 42

Health:

Worcester Gas Light Co.	\$0 62	
	<hr/>	62

*\$16 17

Fire Department:

Boston Home Linen Suppliers, Inc.	\$8 95	
Edison Elec. Ill. Co. of Boston	44 33	
	<hr/>	53 28

*\$185 08

\$1,759 42

Respectfully submitted,

MELVILLE W. GRANT,
Town Accountant.

RECAPITULATION

Jan. 1, 1935

	Jan. 1, 1935 Balances	Appropriations	Transfers and Donations	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
Finance Committee, Salaries	\$300 00	.....	\$300 00	\$250 00	\$50 00	.....
Finance Committee, Maintenance	450 00	.....	450 00	356 50	93 50	.....
Board of Survey	50 00	.....	50 00	50 00	.....	.....
Town Planning Board	125 00	.....	125 00	111 82	13 18	.....
Selectmen, Salaries	1,555 00	.....	1,555 00	1,555 00	.....	.....
Selectmen, Maintenance	425 00	91 05	516 05	513 22	2 83	.....
Accounting, Salaries	2,329 00	225 00	2,554 00	2,554 00	.....	.....
Accounting, Maintenance	355 00	60 00	415 00	414 95	05	.....
Treasury, Salaries	4,212 00	.....	4,212 00	4,212 00	.....	.....
Treasury, Maintenance	1,157 00	.....	1,157 00	1,139 37	17 63	.....
Town Clerk, Salaries	1,660 90	.....	1,660 90	1,660 90	.....	.....
Town Clerk, Maintenance	613 00	.....	613 00	609 04	3 96	.....
Tax Collector, Salaries	3,315 00	.....	3,315 00	3,315 00	.....	.....
Tax Collector, Maintenance	2,037 00	109 25	2,146 25	1,797 84	348 41	.....
Assessors, Salaries	4,696 80	88 80	4,785 60	4,760 95	24 65	.....
Assessors, Maintenance	1,920 00	.....	1,920 00	1,836 89	83 11	.....
Election and Registration, Salaries	300 00	.....	300 00	300 00	.....	.....
Election and Registration, Maintenance	1,195 00	.....	1,195 00	1,057 85	137 15	.....
Town Hall and Grounds, Salaries	1,144 00	.....	1,144 00	1,144 00	.....	.....
Town Hall and Grounds, Maintenance	1,509 00	621 33	2,130 33	2,123 53	6 80	.....
Superintendent of Buildings	2,000 00	.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY							
Police Department, Salaries	29,410 00	.....	29,410 00	29,400 04	9 96	.....
Police, Telephone, Teletype, and Radio	1,150 00	.....	1,150 00	1,148 14	1 86	.....
Police, Equipment and Supplies	1,115 00	.....	1,115 00	1,056 41	58 59	.....
Police, Auto Maintenance	2,350 00	.....	2,350 00	2,349 69	31	.....
Police, Building Maintenance	1,505 00	.....	1,505 00	1,395 41	109 59	.....
Fire Department, Salaries	32,325 00	.....	32,325 00	32,089 24	235 76	.....
Fire Department, Maintenance	3,870 00	.....	3,870 00	3,739 27	130 73	.....

RECAPITULATION — Continued

	Jan. 1, 1935 Balances	Appropriation	Transfers and Donations	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances Overdrafts
Fire, Building Maintenance	\$1,600 00	.....	\$1,600 00	\$1,545 65	\$54 35
Fire Alarm, Salaries	255 00	.....	255 00	255 00	.....
Fire Alarm, Maintenance	950 00	.....	950 00	911 25	38 75
Inspection, Salaries	4,095 00	\$85 00	4,180 00	4,159 75	20 25
Inspection, Maintenance	205 50	.....	205 50	161 12	44 38
Forest Warden, Salaries	85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....
Forest Warden, Maintenance	75 00	.....	75 00	.....	75 00
Moth Department, Private	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	415 45	584 55
Forestry Division, Salaries	3,152 00	.....	3,152 00	2,987 87	164 13
Forestry Division, Maintenance	465 00	.....	465 00	462 48	2 52

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health, Salaries .....	.....	2,428 00	.....	2,428 00	2,428 00	.....
Board of Health, Maintenance .....	.....	581 00	.....	581 00	564 83	16 17
Hospitalization .....	.....	4,000 00	2,400 00	6,400 00	6,384 36	15 64
Care of Dump .....	.....	780 00	.....	780 00	780 00	.....
Removal of Garbage .....	.....	2,833 33	.....	2,833 33	2,833 33	.....
Sewer Maintenance, Salaries .....	.....	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	2,995 96	4 04
Sewer Maintenance .....	.....	250 00	.....	250 00	247 73	2 27
Sewer Construction	\$19,217 57	.....	.....	19,217 57	17,872 46	1,345 11
Sewer House Connections .....	.....	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00	3,994 19	1,005 81

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Department Public Welfare, Salaries .....	.....	3,400 00	.....	3,400 00	3,400 00	.....
Department Public Welfare, Maintenance .....	.....	60,535 00	.....	60,535 00	60,256 56	278 44
State Aid .....	.....	500 00	.....	500 00	330 00	170 00
Military Aid .....	.....	500 00	.....	500 00	300 00	200 00
Soldiers' Relief .....	.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	13,655 04	1,344 96
ERA Welfare Investigator ! .....	.....	700 00	.....	700 00	227 06	472 94

EDUCATION AND LIBRARY

School, Salaries	172,205 80	1,200 00	172,205 80	169,880 55	2,325 25
School, Maintenance	40,125 00	1,325 00	41,325 00	40,876 58	448 42
ERA School	3,013 50	2,000 00	5,013 50	2,650 14	2,363 36
Vocational Tuition	1,500 00	2,544 71	4,044 71	3,8 34	226 37
Library, Salaries	4,150 00	.....	4,150 00	4,038 64	111 36
Library, Maintenance	2,177 15	2,237 15	4,414 30	4,279 52	134 78
ERA Library	122 50	.....	122 50	69 98	52 52

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Administration, Salaries	4,284 00	.....	4,284 00	4,284 00	.....
Administration, Maintenance	331 00	.....	331 00	315 06	15 94
Highway	27,950 00	.....	27,950 00	27,853 20	96 80
Sidewalks	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Removal of Snow	10,000 00	.....	10,000 00	9,986 81	13 19
Street Lighting	22,000 00	.....	22,000 00	21,481 96	518 04
Parks	500 00	.....	500 00	497 78	2 22
Engineering Salaries	2,500 00	.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Engineering Maintenance	285 00	.....	285 00	282 56	2 44
ERA Public Works	15,688 00	7,000 00	22 688 00	10,562 36	12,125 64
ERA Administration	1,176 00	.....	1,176 00	1,175 32	68
Equipment General	3,908 00	.....	3,908 00	3,768 16	139 84
Replacement of Equipment	6,200 00	.....	6,200 00	6,200 00	.....
Beaufort Avenue Construction	3,325 00	.....	3,325 00	3,115 83	209 17
Hawthorn Avenue Construction	2,135 00	.....	2,135 00	1,956 43	178 57
Laurel Drive (Northerly) Construction	1,335 00	.....	1,335 00	1,335 00	.....
Laurel Drive (Southerly) Construction	1,035 00	.....	1,035 00	1,035 00	.....
Manning Street Extension Construction	540 00	.....	540 00	540 00	.....
Nichols Road Construction	2,150 00	.....	2,150 00	2,047 40	102 60
Oakhurst Circle Construction	1,458 00	.....	1,458 00	1,458 00	.....
Warren Street Extension Construction	2,365 00	.....	2,365 00	2,365 00	.....
Acts 1935, Chapter 464 .....	.....	6,170 92	6,170 92	4,342 48	1,828 44

RECAPITULATION — Continued

	Jan. 1, 1935 Balances	Appropriation	Transfers and Donations	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
WATER DEPARTMENT							
Water Maintenance		\$50,600 00	.....	\$50,600 00	\$49,837 70	\$762 30	.....
Equipment		400 00	.....	400 00	400 00	.....	.....
Replacement of Equipment		1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Purchase Water Land, Charles River Street		12,500 00	.....	12,500 00	12,500 00	.....	.....
Needham Garden Water Main	\$2,582 94	.....	.....	2,582 94	614 75	1,968 19	.....
ERA Water.....		1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED							
Unclassified		325 00	\$258 18	583 18	583 18	.....	.....
Legal Department, Salary		1,275 00	.....	1,275 00	1,275 00	.....	.....
Legal Department, Maintenance.....		1,000 00	53 36	1,053 36	1,053 36	.....	.....
Town Reports.....		1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	781 90	218 10	.....
Dog Officer, Salary		210 00	.....	210 00	210 00	.....	.....
Unpaid Bills for 1934.....		824 63	652 50	1,477 13	1,458 68	18 45	.....
Reserve Fund		18,000 00	.....	18,000 00	17,036 68	963 32	.....
Insurance.....		4,288 84	.....	4,288 84	4,227 91	60 93	.....
Special Insurance Protection, Town Hall		300 00	.....	300 00	175 00	125 00	.....
Memorial Day		300 00	.....	300 00	293 40	6 60	.....
Memorial Park		2,800 00	300 00	3,100 00	2,813 65	286 35	.....
Recreational Activities Committee		900 00	.....	900 00	890 10	9 90	.....
Care of Soldiers' Graves		400 00	.....	\$400 00	\$396 59	\$3 41	.....
Local Game Warden		85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....	.....
Petroleum Inspector		85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....	.....
Annuity — Haddock		1,800 00	.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
Annuity — McLeod.....		1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Norfolk County Hospital		5,746 09	.....	5,746 09	5,706 49	.....	.....
Glover Memorial Hospital, Salaries		8,774 03	.....	8,744 03	8,536 81	207 22	.....
Glover Memorial Hospital, Maintenance		9,765 00	.....	9,765 00	9,764 80	20	.....

INTEREST AND FUNDED DEPARTMENT

Interest on Temporary Loans	7,000 00	.....	7,000 00	706 52	6,293 48	.....
Municipal Indebtedness	76,000 00	.....	76,000 00	76,000 00	.....	.....
Interest on Funded Loans	34,035 00	.....	34,035 00	34,035 00	.....	.....
<u>\$21,800 51</u>	<u>\$789,306 07</u>	<u>\$26,097 25</u>	<u>\$837,203 83</u>	<u>\$798,217 37</u>	<u>\$38,986 46</u>	<u>.....</u>

Respectively submitted,

MELVILLE W. GRANT,
Town Accountant.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

January 1, 1936.

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We respectfully submit herewith our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

Recapitulation

Town Appropriations	\$763,059 98
State Assessments	13,209 27
State Tax	33,820 00
So. Metropolitan Sewerage Tax	19,100 00
County Tax	24,831 13
Tuberculosis Hospital	5,746 09
Overlay (of the Current Year)	9,266 15
	\$869,032 62

Estimated Receipts

Income Tax	\$40,923 02
Corporation Tax	12,790 04
Race Track Distribution	1,780 00
Motor Vehicle Excise	21,000 00
Licenses	625 00
Fines	450 00
Public Welfare	20,500 00
Special Assessments	11,143 40
Water Receipts	62,000 00
General Government	900 00
Protection of Persons and Property	2,300 00
Health and Sanitation	750 00
Glover Memorial Hospital	12,000 00
Old Age Assistance	4,500 00
Schools	3,350 00
Libraries	225 00
Water Lands	1,374 67
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	23,000 00
	\$219,611 13

Net amount raised by taxation on Polls and Property....	\$649,421 49
Number of polls 3,677 at \$2.00 each	7,354 00
Total valuation \$22,687,750 Tax rate \$28.30	642,067 49
	\$649,421 49

Loss in valuation of real and personal estate over 1934 .. \$1,077,645 00

Number of horses assessed.....	45
Number of cows	109
Number of swine	438
Number of fowl	1,940
Number of fox	22
Number of goats	3
Number of mules.....	1
Number of houses	2,806
Number of acres of land	7,576

Omitted and Additional Assessments

Under Chapter 59, Section 75, General Laws

Value of real estate	\$3,175	\$89 87
Value of personal.....	27,025	764 81
Sewer betterments plus interest		53 99

CHARLES W. WOODBURY,
ARTHUR H. GODFREY,
HOWARD A. FLEWELLING,
Board of Assessors.

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TOWN OF NEEDHAM

REPORT

OF THE

FINANCE COMMITTEE

TO THE TOWN

AT THE

ANNUAL MEETING, MARCH 18, 1935

ELECTION, MARCH 11

BUSINESS MEETING, MARCH 18, AT 7.30 O'CLOCK



NEWTON

GARDEN CITY PRESS, INC.

1935

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Voters of the Town of Needham:

The Finance Committee respectfully submits its report and recommendations for the annual budget of the Town and on such articles in the Warrant that call for the appropriation of money for the year 1935 to be acted on at the annual Town Meeting.

The Committee has been operating through sub-committees, their reports on departments assigned to them submitted to the Finance Committee as a whole. A standard form prepared by the Finance Committee has been used for all departments and was of great assistance in the study of budgets. Regular meetings have been held monthly and many special meetings after December 21st, 1934, when budgets from all departments were received.

The study of all departments makes possible a conclusion that as a whole they are operating on minimum maintenance allowances. We believe, however, that the Department of Public Works can, without impairing its efficiency, reduce its personnel as time progresses.

Requests for salary adjustments on the basis of full restoration or in part have been submitted in several departmental budgets and the Finance Committee has given this subject careful consideration. In view of the fact that conditions have not improved generally affecting income of tax payers and the Town is still obligated to large Welfare and Unemployment expenditures with no apparent reduction this year over last, that additional tax burdens due to salary increases are not warranted. The Town this year to take care of 255 unemployed and 150-160 welfare recipients will need expenditures equal to 1934 or more, a part of which could be indefinitely postponed particularly that part for projects that must be found to comply with Federal requirements for Federal Aid under the Federal Emergency Relief Act and Public Works Act. In 1934 the Town spent \$32,817.41 for tools, equipment materials and necessary supervision on projects approved by the Federal Administrator and received \$120,683.59 for wages only on these projects. If Federal Aid continues during 1935, our Welfare Department, we believe, can operate on \$64,735.00 as recommended by the Finance Committee. If Federal relief is withdrawn, transfers must be made from the Reserve Fund and special appropriations to be recommended in Town Warrant to take care of Federal requirements. In view of this situation, the Finance Committee have unanimously voted that no salary increases be recommended this year.

Due to the new method of assessing on January 1st and fixing tax rate some time in April, it is necessary that all appropriations of money be made prior to April 1st because after tax rate is set there can be no further appropriations and if there are no funds available, the Town is likely to face serious discomfiture. Therefore, we are recommending \$30,000 to be set up in separate account for the purchase of tools, equipment and materials necessary to enable the Town to be eligible to institute and carry on any project that Federal Government may provide money for labor under the Federal Emergency Relief Act or Public Works Act.

The responsibility of the Finance Committee is perhaps greater than ever before in accurately forecasting appropriation needs for the entire twelve months and so that no necessary function will have to be abandoned, we are recommending a Reserve Fund of \$20,000, \$10,000 of which to be voted from Overlay Account.

Articles in the Warrant covering streets to be built under the Betterment Act requiring an appropriation of \$15,000 if accepted by the Town are not included in the \$30,000 recommended for Federal Projects.

The Finance Board has endeavored through Senate Bill No. 67, prepared by Senator Wragg and Representative McCracken, to secure a refund of payments already made on Route 128 or cancellation of claims now outstanding. A hearing was granted and representatives of the Town appeared in favor of the bill. The bill is now before the Senate.

The Committee desires to express its appreciation to the Selectmen, the Department heads and all other citizens who have assisted us in our work.

Our recommendations follow:

RECOMMENDATIONS ON ARTICLES IN THE WARRANT

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to unexpended balances and deficiencies of 1934.

Moved: That the sum of \$1,418.42 be appropriated to pay unpaid bills contracted in 1934 but not received by the Town until after January 1, 1935, and to pay overdrafts and deficiencies of 1934.

Moved: That all unexpended balances be returned to the Treasury.

Article 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money received from dog licenses.

Moved: That the money received from dog licenses, to wit: \$1,853.99 be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the salaries of its Town Officers.

Moved: That the salaries of Town Officers for the year 1935 be the same as voted in the Annual Budget.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of tools, equipment and materials necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on Public Works or other projects, for which the Federal Government may provide money for the labor necessary in connection therewith under the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program if and when extended including the following; and to determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relative thereto:

Public Works Department	\$25,600
School Department	3,075
ERA Administration	1,200
Library	125
Oak Street Brook and Culvert on Marked Tree Road (petitioned for)	600

Moved: That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated for the purchase of tools, equipment and materials necessary to enable the Town to become eligible to institute and carry on Public Works and other projects, for which the Federal Government may provide money for the labor necessary in connection therewith under the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program, if and when extended, provided that if the Federal Government shall not provide or shall cease to provide money for such labor then this appropriation or any balance thereof shall be transferred to the account of the Reserve Fund.

Article 8. To see what sums of money the Town will appropriate for the necessary Town charges and expenses.

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1935

All Salary Allowances Are on 1932 Base Less 15%

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Accounting:			
Salary Accountant	\$1,445 00	\$1,445 00
Salary Clerk	884 00	884 00
Salary Temporary Clerk....	31 00	\$34 00
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	\$2,360 00	\$2,329 00
Expenses	116 26	\$210 00	210 00
New Fixtures	160 00	145 00
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	\$2,476 26	\$2,684 00
Assessors			
Chief Assessor }			\$1,785 00
Two Assessors }	\$4,256 68	\$5,037 00	1,190 00
Clerk }			1,281 80
Temporary Employees	346 50	750 00	440 00
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	\$4,603 18	\$5,787 00	\$4,696 80
Expenses	1,148 21	1,425 00	1,425 00
New Fixtures	500 00	495 00
Block Plans	1,000 00
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	\$5,751 39	\$8,712 00	\$6,616 80

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Finance Committee:			
Clerk	\$300 00	\$300 00	\$300 00
Expenses	392 42	450 00	450 00
	<hr/> \$692 42	<hr/> \$750 00	<hr/> \$750 00
Fire Department:			
Chief	\$2,125 00	\$2,125 00	\$2,125 00
Three Lieutenants	5,992 50	5,992 50	5,992 50
Twelve Men	21,317 39	22,078 29	21,281 26
Call Force	2,541 24	2,826 25	2,926 24
	<hr/> \$31,976 13	<hr/> \$33,022 04	<hr/> \$32,325 00
Expenses			560 00
Supplies and Equipment	2,713 13	3,870 00	2,235 00
Maintenance of Equipment			1,075 00
Maintenance of Building ...	1,640 15	1,600 00	1,600 00
	<hr/> \$36,329 41	<hr/> \$38,492 04	<hr/> \$37,795 00
Fire Alarm:			
Salaries	\$255 00	\$255 00	\$255 00
Expenses	918 99	950 00	950 00
	<hr/> \$1,173 99	<hr/> \$1,205 00	<hr/> \$1,205 00
Forest Warden:			
Salary	\$85 00	\$85 00	\$85 00
Expenses	56 50	75 00	75 00
	<hr/> \$141 50	<hr/> \$160 00	<hr/> \$160 00
Glover Memorial Hospital:			
Salaries	\$8,438 00	\$8,947 36	\$8,744 03
Maintenance	10,009 40	9,565 00	9,765 00
	<hr/> \$18,447 40	<hr/> \$18,512 36	<hr/> \$18,609 03
Health, Board of:			
Salary Agent	\$1,700 00	\$2,000 00	\$1,700 00
Salary Nurse	560 00	728 00	728 00
Salary Clerk (new) .....	.....	351 00	.....
	<hr/> \$2,260 00	<hr/> \$3,079 00	<hr/> \$2,428 00
Expenses	697 71	806 00	581 00
	<hr/> \$2,957 71	<hr/> \$3,885 00	<hr/> \$3,009 00
Hospitalization	5,471 00	5,000 00	4,000 00
Dump	338 00	780 00	780 00
Garbage	2,133 34	2,833 33	2,833 33
	<hr/> \$10,900 05	<hr/> \$12,498 33	<hr/> \$10,622 33

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Inspection:			
Building Cesspool	\$1,400 00	\$1,400 00	\$1,400 00
Wiring	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Animal	255 00	255 00	255 00
Weights and Measures	340 00	340 00	340 00
Plumbing and Gas	855 00	900 00	900 00
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	\$4,050 00	\$4,095 00	\$4,095 00
Expenses	257 20	205 50	205 50
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	\$4,307 20	\$4,300 50	\$4,300 50
Petroleum Inspection	85 00	85 00	85 00
Game Warden	85 00	85 00	85 00
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Insurance	\$2,031 30	\$4,218 72	\$4,288 84
Special (Article 49)	261 10	300 00	300 00
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	\$2,292 40	\$4,518 72	\$4,588 84
Library:			
Salaries	\$4,159 07	\$4,250 00	\$4,150 00
Books and Periodicals	1,493 43	1,700 00	1,700 00
Bindings	322 38	500 00	500 00
Supplies and Expenses	546 68	783 00	668 00
Maintenance of Building including Janitor	1,101 72	1,147 00	1,147 00
Special Repairs	400 00	400 00
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	\$7,623 28	\$8,780 00	\$8,565 00
Less income from Barr and Greenwood Fund	\$383 16
Less Dog Licenses	1,853 99	\$2,237 15
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			\$6,327 85
Memorial Park:			
Expenses	\$1,496 83	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
Repairs and Painting	920 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
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	\$2,416 83	\$2,800 00	\$2,800 00
Planning Board	\$83 57	\$250 00	\$125 00
Police Department:			
Chief	\$2,295 00	\$2,295 00	\$2,295 00
Two Sergeants	3,995 00	3,995 00	3,995 00
Twelve Men	18,858 53	20,995 00	20,720 00
Matron	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Special Police	2,331 22	1,200 00	1,200 00
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	\$28,679 75	\$29,685 00	\$29,410 00
Telephone, Teletype, Radio Equipment and Supplies . }	803 70	1,100 00	1,150 00
*Automobile Maintenance. }	4,526 10	715 00	1,115 00
Building Maintenance	1,085 28	2,400 00	2,350 00
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	\$35,094 83	\$35,355 00	\$35,530 00

*Provides for a new car and motor-cycle with exchange.

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Public Works Department:			
Administrative:			
Superintendent		\$3,400 00	\$3,400 00
Clerk		884 00	884 00
			<u>\$4,284 00</u>
Expenses		\$331 00	331 00
	\$2,550 00	\$4,615 00	\$4,615 00
Engineering:			
Salaries		\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
Expenses		285 00	285 00
	\$3,293 07	\$2,785 00	\$2,785 00
*Equipment:			
Expenses		\$4,308 00	\$4,308 00
New Equipment		7,200 00	7,200 00
		<u>\$11,508 00</u>	<u>\$11,508 00</u>
Forestry (Tree Warden, Moth, Nursery):			
Salaries and Wages		\$3,152 00	\$3,152 00
Expenses		465 00	465 00
	\$4,689 75	\$3,617 00	\$3,617 00
Moth Private	204 72	1,000 00	1,000 00
Highway:			
General	\$31,507 38	\$27,950 00	\$27,950 00
Snow Removal	9,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Sidewalks	6,500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Street Lighting	21,537 72	22,000 00	22,000 00
Parks:			
Wages			500 00
Sewer:			
Salaries and Wages		\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Expenses		250 00	250 00
	\$4,817 10	\$3,250 00	\$3,250 00
Superintendent of Public Buildings			
			\$2,000 00
Water			
	\$58,988 58	†\$50,600 00	\$50,600 00
	<u>\$143,088 32</u>	<u>\$140,825 00</u>	<u>\$140,825 00</u>

*All automotive expenses for all divisions have been charged to this division.

†Includes payment of \$8,120.00 Bonds and Interest.

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Registrars:			
Salaries	\$300 00	\$300 00	\$300 00
Printing and Supplies	658 05	450 00	450 00
Elections	1,769 93	745 00	745 00
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	\$2,727 98	\$1,495 00	\$1,495 00

School Department:

All Salaries	\$165,155 19	\$180,165 17	\$172,205 80
Services	1,255 22	1,125 00	1,025 00
Supplies and Equipment ..	7,301 77	10,850 00	9,650 00
Maintenance of Buildings ..	21,283 81	14,875 00	14,875 00
Repairs of Buildings .....	.....	6,300 00	5,800 00
Transportation	6,326 86	6,850 00	6,850 00
Commencement and Tuition	412 50	425 00	425 00
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	\$201,735 35	\$220,590 17	\$210,830 80
Vocational Tuition	\$1,494 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00

Selectmen:

Salary Board	\$450 00	\$450 00	\$450 00
Salary Clerk	1,105 00	1,248 00	1,105 00
Town Meeting	74 70	175 00	75 00
Expenses	369 65	250 00	250 00
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	\$1,999 35	\$2,123 00	\$1,880 00

Tax Collector:

Salary	\$2,210 00	\$2,210 00	\$2,210 00
Clerk	1,105 00	1,105 00	1,105 00
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	\$3,315 00	\$3,315 00	\$3,315 00
Expenses	\$591 17	\$563 00	\$563 00
Bond	474 00	474 00	474 00
Tax Titles	1,846 38	1,000 00	1,000 00
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	\$6,226 55	\$5,352 00	\$5,352 00

Town Clerk:

Salary	\$467 50	\$2,575 00	\$467 50
Clerk	1,193 40	1,404 00	1,193 40
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	\$1,660 90	\$3,979 00	\$1,660 90
Expenses	302 71	303 00	238 00
Fees	334 50	375 00	375 00
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	\$2,298 01	\$4,657 00	\$2,273 90

Town Hall Grounds:

Salaries	\$1,508 48	\$1,732 96	\$1,144 00
Expenses	2,002 67	1,509 00	1,509 00
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	\$3,511 15	\$3,241 96	\$2,653 00

	Expenditures 1934	Requested 1935	Recommended 1935
Treasurer:			
Salary	\$2,210 00	\$2,210 00
Two Clerks	2,002 00	\$2,210 00	2,002 00
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	\$4,212 00	\$4,212 00
Expenses	619 96	907 00	907 00
Bond	237 00	250 00	250 00
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	\$5,068 96		\$5,369 00
Welfare, Public:			
Salaries	\$3,346 72	\$4,100 00	\$3,400 00
Expenses	940 20	535 00	535 00
ERA.....	248 33	1,900 00	700 00
Old Age.....	12,602 84		
Mothers' Age.. }	2,327 96	65,000 00	60,000 00
Dependent Aid }	45,447 14		
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	\$64,913 19	\$71,535 00	\$64,635 00
Soldiers' Relief	14,900 66	15,000 00	15,000 00
Military Aid	320 00	500 00	500 00
State Aid	260 00	500 00	500 00
Unclassified:			
Legal Expenses.....	\$2,111 08	\$2,275 00	\$2,275 00
Damages	1,160 37	1,000 00	1,000 00
Town Reports	2,122 20	1,000 00	1,000 00
Dog Officer	210 00	210 00	210 00
Miscellaneous	1,617 61	325 00	325 00
ERA.....	1,224 88	1,000 00
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	\$8,446 14	\$5,810 00	\$4,810 00
Haddock and McLeod Annu- ities	2,530 80	2,800 00	2,800 00
Memorial Day	293 62	300 00	300 00
Soldiers' Graves	396 59	400 00	400 00
Board of Survey.....	3 00	50 00	50 00
Norfolk County Hospital ..	4,926 81	5,746 09	5,746 09
Overdrafts and Deficiencies	13,303 56	1,350 87	1,350 87
Bonds and Interest:			
Bonds Due in 1935	\$78,500 00	\$83,000 00	\$83,000 00
Interest on Funded Loans ..	37,260 00	34,035 00	34,035 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	8,525 47	7,000 00	7,000 00
*Reserve Fund	15,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00

*\$10,000.00 to be taken from the Overlay Account.

SUMMARY

	Appropriated 1934	Recommended 1935
Accounting	\$2,479 00	\$2,684 00
Assessors	5,606 80	6,616 80
Finance Committee	850 00	750 00
Fire Department	36,615 00	37,795 00
Fire Alarm	1,205 00	1,205 00
Forest Warden	150 00	160 00
Glover Memorial Hospital	18,000 00	18,609 03
Health Department	6,380 00	7,789 00
Garbage	2,000 00	2,833 33
Inspections	3,700 00	4,300 50
Petroleum and Game	170 00	170 00
Insurance	2,000 00	4,288 84
Library	5,454 59	6,327 85
Memorial Park	1,500 00	2,800 00
Overdrafts and Deficiencies	10,050 00	1,350 87
Planning Board	100 00	125 00
Police Department	35,127 50	35,530 00
Public Works	141,999 84	140,825 00
Registrars	2,700 00	1,495 00
Reserve Fund	5,000 00	10,000 00
School Department	201,793 90	210,830 80
Vocational	1,500 00	1,500 00
Selectmen	2,140 00	1,880 00
Tax Collector	5,879 50	5,352 00
Town Clerk	2,299 90	2,273 90
Town Hall and Grounds	3,775 00	2,653 00
Treasurer	5,069 00	5,369 00
Unclassified		
Legal		
Damages		
Town Reports		
Haddock and McLeod Annuities		
Memorial Day	300 00	300 00
Soldiers' Graves	400 00	400 00
Board of Survey	75 00	50 00
Norfolk County Hospital	4,926 81	5,746 09
Welfare	65,000 00	64,635 00
Soldiers' Relief	15,000 00	15,000 00
State and Military	400 00	1,000 00
Bonds and Interest	115,760 00	117,035 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	20,000 00	7,000 00
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	\$732,406 84	\$734,290 01
ERA, Article 7		30,000 00
Sewer Connections, Article 12		5,000 00
Streets, Articles 25 to 40		14,343 00
Special Insurance, Article 49		300 00
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Total Recommended Appropriations		\$783,933 01
Estimated Additions:		
State Tax	\$34,000 00	
State Assessments and others	43,500 00	
County Tax	25,333 00	
Overlay	16,000 00	
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		118,833 00
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		\$902,766 01

Estimated Receipts:

Income Tax	\$48,000 00	
Corporation and other Taxes	17,000 00	
Motor Excise	24,000 00	
Departmental Receipts	125,000 00	
Betterments	16,500 00	
Polls	7,300 00	
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		\$237,800 00
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		\$664,966 01

Estimated balance to be raised by Taxation
on Valuation of \$23,500,000.00 at 28.25

Tax Rate		<hr/>
		\$669,750 00

Article 9. To see in what manner the Town will have its taxes collected for the current year.

Moved: That the taxes for the current year be collected in the same manner as in the year 1934 and that the compensation therefor be the same as voted in the Budget.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Moved: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Moved: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the construction of particular sewers or house connections, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That the sum of \$5,000.00 be appropriated for the construction of particular sewers or house connections.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$13,097.62 from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, \$8,782.50 of which shall be for payment of notes and interest due on construction bonds.

Moved: That the sum of \$13,097.62 be transferred from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, of which \$8,782.50 shall be to pay notes and interest due on construction notes.

Article 14. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by striking out Section 13 under Article 4 and inserting in place thereof the following: "Section 13. Whoever, being the owner, tenant, occupant, or agent in charge of an estate used wholly or in part for stores, offices, places of public resort, or residences, shall place any snow or ice on a sidewalk on which such store, office, place of public resort, or residence abuts, and suffers it to remain thereon for more than five hours between sunrise and sunset shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten dollars for each offense. If snow or ice, through weather conditions, is evenly spread over a sidewalk and frozen thereon so as to be difficult of removal, it may remain until it shall be more easily removed if the sidewalk be kept in safe condition by sand or otherwise."

Moved: That the Town By-Laws be amended by striking out Section 13 under Article 4 and inserting in place thereof the following:

"Section 13. Whoever, being the owner, tenant, occupant or agent in charge of an estate used wholly or in part for stores, offices, places of public resort, or residences, shall place any snow or ice on a sidewalk on which such store, office, place of public resort, or residence abuts, or suffers so to remain thereon for more than five hours between sunrise and sunset shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten dollars for each offense. If snow or ice, through weather conditions, is evenly spread over a sidewalk and frozen thereon so as to be difficult of removal, it may remain until it shall be more easily removed if the sidewalk be kept in safe condition by sand or otherwise."

Article 15. To see if the Town will authorize the demolition of the Old Harris School and the Old Parker School, or pass any vote or notes relative thereto.

Moved: That the Selectmen be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell the Old Harris School and the Old Parker School buildings or to demolish the same and to make available the materials salvaged therefrom so far as practicable for the reconstruction, alteration or repair of the Riverside School or dispose thereof by sale or otherwise.

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take relative to the sale of land of the Town on which the Old Harris School is at present situated.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

We believe it inadvisable for the Town to dispose of any of its property at this time.

Article 17. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by adding thereto under Article 11 the following: — Section 8. All buildings on or near the line of public or private ways shall be assigned a number or numbers by the Board of Selectmen who shall assign odd numbers, for one side of a way and even numbers for the opposite side thereof. Said assigned numbers which shall not be less than 2½ inches high with ½ inch stroke, shall be placed in a conspicuous place on said building or buildings by the owner or occupant thereof within thirty days from the time when notice is given by said Board to the owner or occupant of the number or numbers assigned to said building or buildings.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be adopted.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning Map by changing from a business district to a general residence district the land at the southwesterly corner of Maple Street and Great Plain Avenue bounded northerly by Great Plain Avenue; easterly by Maple Street;

southerly by other land now or formerly of Carter; westerly by land of Allston R. Bowers, or however otherwise said land may be bounded and described, on petition of Allston R. Bowers and others.

As no appropriation is called for the Finance Committee makes no recommendation.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning Map by changing from a single residence district to a business district the area on Greendale Avenue starting at a point approximately 300 feet from the right of way of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad on the northerly side of the said right of way and easterly of Greendale Avenue on land of Laura I. Cassidy, and running northerly to and including the land of Augustus Hauck, Jr., about 2,500 feet or such part thereof as may be determined on petition of Laura I. Cassidy and others.

As no appropriation is called for the Finance Committee makes no recommendation.

Article 20. To see if the Town will authorize the appointment of a Committee to direct the recreational activities within the Town and to determine the manner in which such Committee shall be appointed, on petition of Committee appointed under Article 39 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of March 19, 1934.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be referred to the Committee appointed under Article 52.

Article 21. To see what sum the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing recreational facilities.

Recommended: That no new activities be started at this time.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take relative to the time of holding the Annual Meeting, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be referred to the Committee appointed under Article 52.

Article 23. To see what action the Town will take relative to the appointment of a Superintendent of Public Buildings, and establish his powers and duties, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That the Selectmen be authorized to annually appoint a Superintendent of Public Buildings, who shall receive such salary as shall be annually appropriated therefor. The Superintendent of Public Buildings shall have general charge of the care and operation of all Town buildings and he shall direct the making of all repairs and improvements in the same. All Executive and Administrative Departments, Boards and Officers of the Town shall make requisition upon him for any repairs or improvements necessary in all buildings, owned, leased or occupied by any department, board or officer of the Town. The cost for such repairs or improvements, when approved, shall be paid for out of the amounts appropriated therefor to the several departments, boards or officers of the Town.

Article 24. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) for the construction of a new Riverside School, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

The Committee feels that this building can be repaired for fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) and we recommend that this sum be appropriated.

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 26. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand and three hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$2,365.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive, southerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 400 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 28. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand and thirty-five dollars (\$1,035.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, southerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive, northerly portion, from Warren Street easterly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand and three hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$1,335.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive, northerly portion, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will accept Oakhurst Circle from Warren Street westerly approximately 500 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one thousand and four hundred and fifty-eight dollars (\$1,458.00) for the construction of Oakhurst Circle under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will accept Nichols Road from Washington Avenue to Wyoming Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand and one hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,150.00) for the construction of Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will accept Beaufort Avenue from Great Plain Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 36. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$3,325.00) for the construction of Beaufort Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will accept Hawthorn Avenue from Beaufort Avenue to Nichols Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 38. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand and one hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$2,135.00) for the construction of Hawthorn Avenue under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will accept Manning Street from Brookline Street 245 feet northerly, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 40. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540.00) for the construction of Manning Street under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Recommended: That the substance of these Articles be adopted.

As these streets can be built this year as ERA Projects at a cost of approximately one-third less than that of normal times and provide employment for a large number of unemployed, we feel that it would be advantageous to the Town to construct these streets this year.

Article 41. To see if the Town will accept Lindbergh Avenue from Webster Street to Manning Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk, on petition of Warren H. Ellis and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed as the specifications are not up to Town requirements.

Article 42. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for the construction of Lindbergh Avenue from Webster Street to Manning Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as laid out by the Selectmen, and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto, on petition of Warren H. Ellis and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed as this amount is not sufficient to be built under Town specifications.

Article 43. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) for the installation of drain pipe in Birds Hill Brook from Sargent Street to Lawrence Road, on petition of Chester B. Underhill and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed because it is mostly through private land.

Article 44. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on St. Mary's Street, on petition of Edward A. Daley, Jr., and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 45. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on Melrose Avenue, on petition of Raymond L. Bond and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 46. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on pole No. J-O 152-1 at the junction of Hampton Avenue and Crawford Street, on petition of Matthew Tocci and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on pole No. J-O 152-4 at the junction of Route 128 and Crawford Street, on petition of Matthew Tocci and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 48. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate to be added to the Street Lighting Appropriation for the installation and maintenance of street lights.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 49. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed as this item is included in the Budget.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of three to advise with the several town departments, and subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to determine the general form and content of the next annual Town report; such committee to be appointed one by the Board of Selectmen, from among their own number or otherwise, one by the Finance Committee, from among their own number or otherwise, and one by the two so chosen, on petition of Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be adopted.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of three to determine and report upon the advisability, method and cost of a general re-valuation of all property in the Town, such report to be rendered not later than to the next annual town meeting, such committee to be appointed one by the Board of Selectmen, one by the Finance Committee, and one by the Planning Board, in each case from among their own number or otherwise as they may determine, on petition of Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be adopted.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of three, one by the Board of Selectmen, one by the Finance Committee, and one by Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc., in each case from among their own numbers or otherwise, to study, report, and recommend possible economies, consolidations and improvements in the administrative or other departments of the Town; to report not later than to the next annual Town meeting, upon petition of the Needham Taxpayers' Association, Inc.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be adopted.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to purchase the land formerly owned by the Union Ice Company, Inc., located on Rosemary Street, Needham Heights, together with such rights to Rosemary Lake as said Company owns, said land being bounded by Rosemary Street, Rosemary Lake, and land owned by McLare, and appropriate money therefor, on petition of James A. Fitzgerald and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 54. To see if the Town will amend its By-Laws by adding as Article VI under the caption "Billboards & Advertising Devices," the following, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto:

No persons, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display, or maintain a billboard, sign, or other outdoor advertising device in the Town

of Needham, except those exempted by sub-section (h) and sub-section (i) of this By-Law.

As this proposed amendment to the By-Laws is long and is set forth at length in the Warrant for the Town Meeting it is not here re-stated.

Recommended: That the substance of this Article be adopted.

Article 55. To appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise such sums of money as may be necessary for all or any other purpose mentioned in the foregoing Articles and especially to act upon all appropriations asked for or proposed by the Selectmen or any Town officer or Committee.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to have the reports of its officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings printed, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That 1,000 copies of the report of Town officers and proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings, but not including the valuation list, be printed before the next Annual Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. LORD, *Chairman*,
EDWARD G. SAYCE, *Secretary*,
JULIUS F. HALLER,
ALFRED P. HARTSHORN,
ARTHUR S. HUBBARD,
JOHN F. KENNEY,
HARRY J. ROBINSON,
GEORGE R. WEIN,
HARRISON G. WHITTREDGE.

TABULATED EXPENDITURES OF DEPARTMENTS

	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
Accounting.....	\$1,649 84	\$1,841 25	\$1,821 85	\$1,847 39	\$1,813 53	\$1,841 93	\$3,069 09	\$3,256 90	\$2,919 35	\$2,846 20	\$2,483 95
Assessors.....	3,003 67	5,549 27	5,112 64	5,708 45	6,625 00	6,596 25	9,099 60	6,605 49	7,077 49	6,844 59	5,546 27
Engineering.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,653 70	4,180 26	4,228 43	5,874 29
Finance Committee.....	194 00	342 60	301 40	227 00	235 00	263 50	280 00	335 00	401 10	383 25	368 50
Fire Alarm.....	1,479 00	1,822 29	1,728 06	1,436 12	4,670 98	3,600 40	3,480 26	2,908 35	3,824 98	6,592 75	1,184 80
Fire Department.....	15,853 99	18,291 12	21,042 27	21,489 37	22,952 43	24,507 74	26,591 70	34,904 30	38,824 07	40,420 84	34,662 39
Forest Warden.....	145 00	139 79	130 40	133 77	133 70	138 85	138 85	138 85	177 75	122 50	86 28
Glover Memorial Hospital.....	2,597 31	2,086 33	4,529 89	4,585 39	5,731 69	4,872 69	20,896 25	21,051 37	21,008 63	18,942 87	18,077 87
Health, Board of.....	709 15	1,800 00	1,725 00	1,885 30	1,950 00	2,100 00	2,200 00	5,627 08	5,323 14	5,633 55	5,635 66
Garbage Collection.....	45,350 90	50,790 80	51,711 63	45,710 84	60,983 18	71,419 85	73,402 83	109,882 62	103,369 20	71,014 12	28,266 63
Highways.....	13,806 09	13,605 87	19,215 79	12,721 96	13,000 00	10,171 87	11,000 00	13,482 38	6,872 53	11,503 01	6,747 69
Sidewalks.....	9,438 56	9,536 33	8,684 17	16,027 49	8,782 12	5,999 43	7,726 70	6,972 88	10,605 69	6,622 57	8,269 11
Snow Removal.....	9,913 25	9,799 48	14,886 44	17,834 58	18,127 97	19,087 22	22,141 34	26,239 76	24,556 53	25,101 17	23,253 84
Lighting.....	1,879 48	2,135 23	2,377 73	2,438 10	2,828 54	3,464 32	3,914 37	5,465 45	5,648 91	5,267 18	4,126 60
Inspections.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00	100 00	200 00	200 00	172 50
Petroleum and Game.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,408 36	4,129 51	2,723 24	5,637 26
Insurance.....	1,553 25	4,824 72	4,297 02	7,786 80	2,849 73	2,952 73	3,143 25	5,408 36	4,129 51	2,723 24	5,637 26
Library.....	7,044 50	7,020 21	7,074 79	7,694 44	8,268 12	9,153 76	9,413 53	8,782 84	9,342 02	9,311 58	7,664 89
Memorial Day.....	488 07	418 94	349 11	231 00	291 04	263 56	243 75	301 75	286 00	283 86	286 38
Soldiers' Graves.....	.....	.....	.....	396 56	396 56	396 56	396 56	396 56	396 56	396 56	396 56
Monumental Park.....	3,499 78	2,464 66	3,792 51	1,901 15	2,984 48	2,688 31	3,100 08	5,000 00	5,220 00	2,500 00	1,004 19
Park Department.....	894 14	1,150 13	1,129 02	2,100 46	1,246 17	2,688 31	2,498 30	4,185 09	4,199 38	4,292 59	119 10
Planning Board.....	26 25	1,040 54	558 56	260 46	16 90	97 82	117 89	121 15	322 51	104 67	76 19
Police Department.....	11,180 15	13,147 59	16,462 61	19,168 40	21,601 69	24,300 20	26,719 28	32,643 40	35,317 79	36,413 82	28,807 21
Realists.....	970 08	522 15	707 13	1,214 44	694 23	2,333 08	738 71	1,927 86	797 54	2,472 21	1,038 35
School Department.....	143,487 36	147,256 67	170,474 87	180,143 27	190,680 86	198,846 04	206,395 82	220,284 85	238,207 35	240,567 63	205,034 11
Selection.....	911 31	1,588 82	2,117 50	2,912 06	2,749 53	2,734 67	2,298 54	5,009 27	2,215 87	2,196 42	2,056 27
Sewer Department.....	.....	.....	.....	5,104 84	5,169 17	4,804 43	4,706 51	5,091 24	4,724 59	4,853 95	3,781 13
Survey, Board of.....	33 57	96 39	67 29	67 29	171 63	97 22	171 20	126 85	24 20	.....	64 64
Tax Collector.....	2,359 79	2,388 92	2,722 48	3,448 22	3,200 79	3,457 97	3,774 18	4,361 07	4,782 30	4,471 26	4,477 33
Town Clerk.....	699 38	694 83	709 19	782 28	799 19	1,088 32	1,099 35	1,192 48	2,580 30	2,536 87	2,273 88
Town Hall and Grounds.....	3,253 56	9,324 60	3,594 20	3,624 25	4,497 98	4,873 65	6,036 87	7,493 78	7,000 38	6,040 36	3,875 59
Treasurer.....	1,010 89	1,018 28	1,344 29	1,369 19	1,429 74	2,648 29	2,899 29	4,453 02	6,496 50	5,811 00	5,098 82
Tree Department.....	932 08	1,401 67	1,484 18	978 78	1,347 74	1,071 98	1,461 25	1,419 29	4,500 29	2,104 22	1,178 93
Moth.....	7,462 51	4,805 19	4,370 44	4,438 90	5,155 10	4,877 16	4,777 97	4,919 24	4,915 14	4,474 18	2,819 55
Unclassified.....	2,642 74	2,769 29	4,892 48	12,048 00	4,377 28	12,298 54	6,044 76	7,413 78	55,072 94	66,399 70	58,604 41
Water.....	34,337 84	55,939 64	57,776 17	57,256 76	59,404 37	53,896 31	64,044 76	70,366 19	41,263 72	69,348 00	82,871 87
Welfare.....	14,982 44	13,779 44	13,388 32	12,397 30	13,348 26	15,897 86	17,059 20	23,649 60	8,096 66	15,543 83	17,409 67
Soldiers' Relief.....	802 00	447 00	452 00	524 00	776 00	1,352 00	1,570 56	5,256 15	24 00	.....	30 00
State.....	528 00	330 00	162 00	174 00	156 00	168 00	180 00	.....	.....	90 00	.....
Military.....	645 00	360 00	280 00	.....	.....	120 00	240 00	30 00	.....	90 00	235 00
Bonds.....	63,737 50	43,900 00	43,400 00	46,275 00	46,400 00	46,400 00	46,400 00	51,500 00	87,500 00	88,000 00	87,500 00
Interest on Bonded Indebtedness.....	20,112 01	25,609 00	26,782 66	28,433 00	26,790 00	25,197 00	24,229 00	32,623 73	47,077 00	43,805 00	40,525 00
Interest on Temporary Loans.....	12,349 98	10,810 45	14,079 33	15,084 53	11,407 85	14,766 62	22,899 30	17,579 04	11,180 98	17,814 70	19,426 34
State Tax.....	23,520 00	19,600 00	26,776 00	26,760 00	22,760 00	21,675 00	23,035 00	18,970 00	20,325 00	31,492 50	29,070 00
County Tax.....	18,002 63	18,936 58	22,316 91	22,316 91	22,316 91	21,250 00	22,751 36	23,450 75	24,750 93	24,352 64	17,364 15
Norfolk County Hospital.....	5,018 62	4,106 14	3,193 66	3,698 94	3,698 94	4,392 49	5,175 99	5,508 90	5,104 13	5,547 47	6,040 66
Tax Rate.....	29 70	31 20	32 00	29 70	28 50	28 60	29 70	33 00	33 00	30 80	30 30

1934 figures are shown under Article 8.

